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FIGHTING GOES FAVORABLY FOR ENTENTE ARMIES

STILL PRESS ENEMY ON WESTERN LIMIT OF MARNE SALIENT

Franco-American Forces Make Further Progress in Region of Veuilly-la-Poterie and Bussiares —Two Counter-Attacks by Enemy Are Broken Down With Heavy Losses

Defenders Holding All Ground Gained

Increase of Artillery Noted Along Amiens Front—British and French Troops Make Successful Raids in Flanders and Near Hulluch—Germans Admit Loss of Territory

PARIS, June 8.—Heavy counter-attacks launched by the Germans around Chezy and Dammard, to the northwest of Chateau Thierry, broke down under the French guns, according to the War Office statement tonight. The enemy suffered serious losses. The statement says:

"There was quite lively artillery action in the neighborhood of Hangard-en-Santerre, between the Oise and the Aisne and south of the Aisne.

"We continued our progress in the region of Veuilly-la-Poterie and Bussiares and penetrated the village of Eloup.

"The enemy tried to check the advance which we made yesterday at Chezy and Dammard, launching violent counter-attacks in this region. Our troops broke down all of the attacks of the enemy, whose losses were heavy. We have maintained all our gains.

"Calm prevailed everywhere else.

Allies Make More Progress

The day statement follows:

"South of the Aisne there was great artillery activity, notably in the region of Favarolles. Southeast of Ambleny the French improved their positions during the night. South of the Ourcq they continued their pressure and made new progress.

"The French have carried their lines as far as the western outskirts of Dammard and east of Chezy, and more than a kilometre north of Veuilly-la-Poterie. They have taken about 500 prisoners.

"Further south the Germans made two violent attacks against positions reconquered by the French on the front from Bouresches to Le Tholet. The French broke these assaults and the enemy suffered heavy losses without obtaining any advantage.

"On the rest of the front the night was comparatively calm."

British and French in Raids

LONDON, June 8.—Field Marshal Haig's report from British headquarters tonight says:

"We raided the enemy's trenches last night south of Arras and inflicted casualties on his garrison.

"Early this morning French troops carried out a successful minor enterprise east of Dickebusch Lake and captured 47 prisoners."

The earlier statement follows:

"We captured a few prisoners last night in a successful raid in the neighborhood of Hulluch. Our patrols inflicted casualties on the enemy in the Strazeele sector and captured a machine gun.

"The hostile artillery has been active north of Albert and southeast of Arras."

German Statement

BERLIN, June 8.—The text of the official statement reads:

"Army of Crown Prince Rupprecht, artillery firing and reconnoitring engagements revived intermittently.

"Army of the German Crown Prince: Renewed enemy attacks northwest of Chateau Thierry and counter attacks to recover the line lost on the Ardre only brought him unimportant gains of territory. Several attacks by French, American and British regiments broke down with heavy losses.

"On the rest of the front the situation is unchanged."

The supplementary official communication issued by general headquarters tonight says that the situation is unchanged on the battlefront.

WINNIPEG TELEGRAM SUFFERS FROM FIRE

WINNIPEG, June 8.—The Telegram building has been gutted by fire today and the printing plant of the newspaper damaged. The loss will be about $150,000. Until they can re-establish their plant, the Telegram management probably will print a limited edition through the courtesy of the other printing firms in the city. No one was injured.

Though the valuable presses in the basement may be saved, little else of the 150,000 plant escaped damage by flames and water. The building, valued at $140,000 was badly gutted. Flames swept through the three top floors and the roof fell in. Insurance covers the losses, it is believed.

LONDON, June 8.—The newspapers here are devoting considerable attention to the approaching visit of Herbert Hoover, American Food Administrator, which is expected to result in important progress toward unity in food command.

AMERICAN AIRMAN LANDS IN HOLLAND

THE HAGUE, June 8.—An American naval officer, Ensign Eaton, of Connecticut, has been interned here. He was among other officers who descended in Dutch territorial waters during a recent sensiane night of Terschelling. He was unhurt, but his machine was damaged.

Ensign Eaton was the senior pilot on a machine which had been detailed to protect from attack an airplane which had descended on the sea for repairs. The latter machine was commanded by Robert Thaul, of Buffalo, N.Y., who is in the Canadian Flying Corps.

Argentine Paper Mill Burned

BUENOS AYRES, June 8.—One of two paper mills in Argentina including its entire stock of paper and pulp has been destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $1,500,000.

HIGHER PAY ALLOWED TO CIVIL SERVICE

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 8.—The news that the Dominion Government has recognized their claims for higher pay in view of the increased cost of living will be conveyed to the members of the local branch of the Civil Servants' Association at their meeting next Thursday evening.

It is understood that employees and officials of the four departments affected—Labor, Immigration, Public Works and Inland Revenue—whose present remuneration does not exceed $1,600 per annum, are to be given an extra $150 and that a war bonus of $200 per annum, to continue for the duration of the war, will be granted in addition and will not be confined to the class designated.

CRUISER U-BOATS NOT EFFECTIVE

Information Reaching Paris Represents Them as Comparatively Innocuous—Valuable as Cargo Carriers.

PARIS, Friday, June 7.—The new type of German submarine cruisers accomplished little, according to an official note commenting on German undersea boats. Exact information relative to the operation of two of these boats, which left Germany at the end of 1917, cruised as far as the equator and were absent for four months, showed that they accounted for only 29,000 tons of shipping. This was equal to only one day's total loss from submarines in April of the same year.

At this rate Germany would require sixty submarine cruisers at sea simultaneously to inflict the same loss as that visited upon shipping by submarines in European waters in a month.

"Germany cannot maintain more than 20 of these boats," say the official note, "since the Allies destroy submarines faster than they are built. However, if they sink few ships the submarines operating in European and American waters are useful because their cargo spaces enable them to bring back to Germany valuable materials which are totally lacking there."

U-BOAT REPORTED FAR IN ATLANTIC

Anchor Line Steamer Sends Notification From Distance of 800 Miles Off the New England Coast—Vessels Arriving in American Ports Report Presence of Pirates

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 8.—A British trans-Atlantic steamer which arrived tonight reported that a wireless message had been received from an Anchor Line steamer 800 miles off the New England coast last Wednesday that a submarine was close by. The steamer at once headed at full speed for this port. Whether the Anchor liner was attacked was not known.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 8.—Racing at full speed for nearly a week to escape German submarines, an American steamship arrived today from the West Indies with fifty-nine passengers, more than half of whom were women and children.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 8.—An American steamer loaded with foodstuffs put back to port here today and reported she had been chased by a submarine. The ship's captain was said to have requested the naval authorities to arm his vessel that he might proceed again. The captain is said to have told naval officers that the submarine was sighted off the Virginia Capes. Before torpedoes could be dispatched with any accuracy of aim the steamer turned towards this port, leaving the submarine behind.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 8.—A coastwise passenger steamer put into port here today after sighting an object her officers feared was an enemy submarine. Port officials believe the German craft off the Atlantic coast may have extended their operations to the far southern coast, where the object was sighted. Harbor craft were ordered last night to proceed from the river mouth into the harbor.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 8.—Unconfirmed reports circulated in shipping circles here today were that a German U-boat either had been captured or sunk off the Virginia coast yesterday by a United States destroyer. A destroyer which had been patrolling the coast in this vicinity returned to port today. Members of the crew refused to talk regarding their operations.

Germans Talk Loudly

AMSTERDAM, June 8.—(By the Associated Press)—News of the German U-boats operating on the American coast receives page headlines in the latest German newspapers reaching here and all details available are greedily seized upon. The press, moreover, takes the occasion once more to launch its tirades against the United States and the President of the United States.

The Cologne Gazette concludes a violent tirade against America:

"It is, therefore, only right and fair that we too make use of our war means and show the friends of humanity in their homeland what war looks like and what it means. Our U-boats first visited the American coasts for legitimate, peaceful, commerce. The North Americans may now feel the fist of the war lord.

"They need not be surprised. He who sows the wind reaps the whirlwind, even when he sits on the other side of the great herring-pond, where he is under the delusion that he is safe from the storm."

The Cologne Volks Zeitung talks about "Those who are prosecuting a starvation war against our wives and children having revealed to them off their own coasts the seriousness of war when the new strategy of our U-boats war, which technically is becoming increasingly perfected, is also directed against the other shore of the Atlantic Ocean. This in view of the character of our American opponent, evokes on all sides the liveliest satisfaction amongst the German people."

MAKE NO GAIN IN PAST WEEK

Enemy's Forces Are Driven From Offensive to Defensive Along Sides of Wedge Thrust Towards Marne.

OFFENSIVE EXPECTED AT OTHER POINTS

Advantage That Could Be Secured by Germans by Driving Through From Front East of Verdun.

LONDON, June 8.—In the battlefield of the Marne, where a week ago the Germans were hurling their masses of troops against the western side of the wedge they had driven into the Allied lines in the battle that began on March 26, the Teutons are now standing virtually on the defensive in the Chateau Thierry sector.

American and French troops are participating in a reaction on the extreme tip of the salient and are making progress in this important region.

The British are engaged on the other side of the wedge between the Marne and Rheims.

While the operations take the nature of local attacks, they have had their effect in driving the Germans back from the points they reached on the crest that carried them far on the road to Paris. The attacks which began just to the northwest of Chateau Thierry are spreading northward along the line, and everywhere the Allies report ground recovered from the enemy.

The rush of the American marines and the French on Thursday afternoon has not continued to gain ground as fast as it did at the inception of the movement, but it is still going on. In the meantime they have withstood two violent attacks by the Germans and have repulsed the enemy in decisive fashion.

There has been renewed activity on the part of the German artillery in several sectors of the front. Notable among the regions under bombardment is the line between Noyon and Montdidier.

It is along this line that a heavy enemy offensive has been expected by military experts since the momentum of the German advance from the Aisne has died away. When the Germans pushed west from St. Quentin late in March and early in April, the line from Noyon to Montdidier was almost equal in importance to that in front of Amiens. The French forces were rushed to this front and fought savagely to stop the German advance and retake ground which was of strategic and tactical importance.

At the same time, the Woevre sector, just to the southeast of Verdun, is claiming attention. Large movements of enemy troops in the direction of St. Mihiel have been reported by aerial observers and there are indications that the positions of the Americans along this part of the front may be in the storm centre of a terrific attack soon.

The advantages to be gained by the Germans if they succeed in breaking this line are manifold.

Eighteen miles west of St. Mihiel is the town of Bar-le-Duc, and still further westward is Vitry, which would be but a stepping stone to a dash to Chalons-sur-Marne. If the line at St. Mihiel could be broken or driven back very far, the whole Verdun sector would be in peril, and might have to be abandoned.

In the Flanders sector, which has been quiet since the beginning of the attack along the Aisne, the Germans on Wednesday sought to improve their positions by capturing the hospice at Locre.

This point would give them a starting point for an attack on the village of Locre, which is considered one of the keys to the Allied positions along the hills behind the line southwest of Ypres. The French forces in this sector on Friday, however, attacked the enemy and drove him back to his former positions and the Allied line has been restored.

There have been no engagements of a notable character on the Italian front, but in Macedonia the Allies, particularly the Greeks, have been continuing the aggressive operations.

STEFANSSON AWAITS DAWSON STEAMER

DAWSON, Y.T., June 8.—Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, is at Fort Yukon, awaiting the sailing of the next steamer for Dawson, according to word received here. It is said that he has fully recovered from his recent illness, and is looking rugged again. He is expected here any time between the twentieth and twenty-fifth of the present month.

While Stefansson was ill at Herschel Island during the Winter Constable Lamert, of the Canadian Mounted Police, was afflicted with the same ailment and died. Many natives also were sick and the disease became epidemic.

Stefansson says he owes his recovery to Dr. W. Burke, of the American Episcopal Church, who ascended the Porcupine River hundreds of miles to Rampart, where he administered to the explorer and brought him to Fort Yukon, where his health has been restored. Rev. Dr. Fry of the Church of England Missionary Service also rendered valuable relief.

EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR HUNDRED

MOSCOW, June 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Four hundred persons are dead as the result of an explosion of munitions near Jassy on May 30.

SIR ROBERT BORDEN PRAISES AMERICANS

LONDON, June 8.—(By the Associated Press).—Sir Robert L. Borden, Premier of Canada, who is here to attend the Imperial conference today, made the following statement regarding the fighting men of the United States:

"I recently had the opportunity of observing the quality of the United States troops who are moving rapidly toward the fighting line. They are of magnificent physique and fine spirit, and are strong in their determination that this war shall not be fought in vain.

"Their spirit is that of the people of the United States as a whole. The wonderful power that this great sister commonwealth will be able to exert in this struggle is not yet fully realized. The enemy will yet learn this to his cost."

EFFORT TO FREE FORMER EMPEROR

Further Details Given of Plot to Secure His Release at Tobolsk — Servant's Indiscretion Reveals Plan.

AMSTERDAM, June 8.—The discovery of a plot to free the former Emperor of Russia while he was confined at Tobolsk, to take him to Sweden and thence to America, is reported in German newspapers received here.

According to the accounts published, the chief conspirator was Prince Paul Dolgorouki, Grand Marshal of the Imperial Russian court under Emperor Nicholas, who placed 800,000 roubles at his disposal with which to bribe all the members of his guard. The plot failed, the papers say, owing to the indiscretion of a servant, who disclosed the plans.

A dispatch from Petrograd to London on May 13 said that the Soviet Government had officially confirmed reports that Nicholas Romanoff, the former Emperor, together with the former Empress and one of their daughters, was removed from Tobolsk to Ekaterinburg in consequence of the discovery of a peasant conspiracy to assist in his escape. Alexis Romanoff, the former heir apparent, remained at Tobolsk owing to ill-health, the dispatch added.

AMERICAN SHIPS FAST INCREASE

Great Growth of Tonnage Since Opening of War Is Shown by Figures From Department of Commerce.

WASHINGTON, June 8. — The steady growth of the American merchant marine in all classes of vessels was revealed today for the first time since the war began in statistics from the Department of Commerce, showing that in the first five months of this year there have been built in this country and officially numbered by the Bureau of Navigation, a total of 629 vessels, of 687,055 gross tons.

The merchant fleet of the United States now amounts to approximately 10,000,000 gross tons, not including merchant craft under control of the Army and Navy as transports and supply ships. At the beginning of January 16, 743 merchant vessels of 9,343,224 gross tons were flying the Stars and Stripes on trips across the Atlantic with supplies into the Caribbean and Pacific with American products for foreign customers and on the lakes and rivers of this country as part of the nation's domestic transportation system. This fleet is second only to the merchant tonnage of Great Britain. It includes all the new vessels built under the direction of the shipping board and thousands of other ships built by individual yards.

There has been a steady increase in ships this year, the May tonnage being three times as great as the January output. In the first month of 1918 there were 57 ships of 64,795 tons given official numbers. In February 84 ships, of 117,691 gross tons, were numbered. March saw a notable turn in the production of small ships, numbers being awarded to 138, the tonnage being 147,145. The record in April was 165 ships of 163,050 tons, and in May 155 ships of 194,464 tons. In a single month this year the American merchant fleet has seen a growth almost as great as during the entire first year of the European war

ALLIES IN FLANDERS IMPROVE THEIR LINE

British and French Troops Recover Some Ground Near Voormezeele and Locre—Some Prisoners Taken—Enemy Deprived of Positions Useful for Launching Attacks

GERMANS SUFFER HEAVILY IN ATTACKS ON MARNE

Are Driven Back With Much Loss on Both Sides of Salient—Temporary Gain of Territory Costly —Heavy Artillery Action Is Launched in Toul Sector

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8—British troops today carried out a well-planned attack west of Voormezeele and captured a strong position held by the enemy. The operation was a minor one, but the advance secured greatly improved the Allied line in this sector, which has been the scene of continual thrusts and counter-thrusts since von Hindenburg began his offensive in Flanders. About fifty prisoners were taken.

The attack was launched at five o'clock in the morning and was successfully completed in a short time.

Prisoners Show Depression

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8. — Prisoners arriving at the rear appear to be thoroughly exhausted and depressed by the turn affairs have taken.

Quite important advantages have been gained by the Allies in the course of small infantry engagements during the past two days. The French, American and British troops have participated in these actions, and the bag of prisoners is considerable.

The tactical situation of the Allies is improved by the reconquest of a number of dominant points. As a general rule, the great German effort in the valley of the Marne seems to be fading away as the enemy comes in contact with something approaching his numbers.

Locre Hospice

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Locre Hospice, which the Germans captured on Wednesday night, was retaken by the French yesterday. They battled their way to this much-contested position and completely re-established their original line.

The French have thus removed a more or less serious threat to the village of Locre, which itself is an important defence of Mont Rouge and other hills lying immediately to the west.

The enemy has long coveted Locre, and retention of the hospice would have given him a good jumping off place for another assault in the long list which he has delivered against the village.

There were heavy bursts of shelling from German guns at various points along the British front last night, but no unusual operations have been reported.

Heavy Attack Checked

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8.—(By Associated Press)—The most severe among the minor battles recently in the Marne-Rheims region was in the vicinity of St. Euphraise and Champlat, westward from Rheims.

The Germans launched a serious attack here at dawn Thursday morning along a four-mile front. They planned to pierce the Allied lines to a depth of two and one-half miles, which would permit them to outflank Rheims mountain and thus capture the city. It would have reduced it at the same time the salient held by the Allies, which endangers a large part of the line.

The village and spur of Bligny fell into their hands when they came forward in dense waves, but the British immediately counter-attacked and retook the spur. Simultaneously the French counter-attacked and reached the outskirts of Bligny, and on a second attempt today recaptured the village and re-established the line.

The Germans suffered most severely from artillery fire, the two divisions engaged losing many killed and over 200 prisoners.

Raids Near Montdidier

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8.—(By Associated Press)—Americans, with the French, have made trench raids along the left bank of the Avre river in the Montdidier sector. These raids have been carried out with good effect, and enemy workers have been destroyed as well as several prisoners captured.

Everywhere the American troops are rapidly becoming accustomed to every phase of the war. They are showing initiative and dash which has been repeatedly commented upon by veteran French and British soldiers, who welcome their appearance.

Gas in New Form

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8.—(By Associated Press)—American troops on the front northwest of Chateau Thierry mowed down the enemy with machine guns and rifle fire at midnight last night, when the Germans made an attack on their positions. They fought like demons, and at one point killed 100 Germans.

Before they made their attack the Germans sent over a smoke cloud, supposedly of black gas. During the fighting the Americans wore gas masks.

The Germans launched their thrust against the Americans in the vicinity of Bouresches. They were completely stopped, however, about 400 yards from the American trenches.

This result was achieved despite the intense enemy bombardment, which included the use of gas in a new form.

Heavy artillery fire from the German batteries, opening at 3 o'clock this morning, continued throughout the day in the Toul sector. There was no other activity, however. The Luneville sector was quiet.

JAPAN EXPLAINS PACT WITH CHINA

Official Statement Says Arrangement Provides Only for Joint Action in Maintaining Peace—Rumors Denied.

TOKYO, June 8.—(By the Associated Press.)—The official statement issued by the Japanese Government explanatory of the Chino-Japanese military agreement declares that agreement relates only to co-operation by the two nations in defense of the peace and welfare of the Far East, and explicitly denies various rumors to the contrary. The text of the explanatory statement which accompanied the notes exchanged between the two governments reads:

"Having regard to the steady penetration of hostile infantry into Russian territory, jeopardizing the peace and welfare of the Far East, and recognizing the imperative necessity of co-operation between Japan and China adequately to meet the exigencies of the case, the governments of the two countries, after a frank interchange of views, caused the annexed notes to be exchanged on March 25, between the Minister of Foreign Affairs and the Chinese Minister at Tokyo.

"In pursuance of the purpose of the notes the Imperial Government subsequently sent commissioners representing the imperial army and navy to Pekin, where they held conferences with the authorities of the Chinese army and navy.

"The negotiations progressed smoothly. Two agreements were concluded, one relating to the navy on May 19. These agreements embody only the concrete arrangements as to the manner and conditions under which the armies and navies of the two countries are to co-operate in the common defense against the enemy on the basis of the above mentioned notes exchanged on March 25.

"The details of the arrangements, constituting as they do, a military secret, cannot be made public, but they contain no provisions other than those pertaining to the object already defined.

"Currency has been given to various rumors alleging that the agreements contain, for instance, such stipulations as that the Chinese expedition is to be under Japanese command; that Japan may construct forts in Chinese territory at such places as she may choose; that Japan will take control of the Chinese railways, shipyards and arsenals; and even that Japan will assume control of China's finances, will organize China's police system, will acquire the right of freely operating China's mines, producing materials for the use of arsenals, etc.

"It cannot be too emphatically stated that these and similar rumors are absolutely unfounded."

BRITISH SEND DOWN NINETEEN AIRPLANES

LONDON, June 8.—Aerial operations by the British are described in an official statement issued tonight as follows:

"In the air a good deal of observation and photographic work was carried out by us on June 7. Bombing was active on both sides. We dropped 23 tons of bombs on railway junctions, airdromes and dumps beyond the German lines.

"Twelve machines were brought down by our airmen and seven were driven down out of control. We lost three machines.

"On the night of June 7-8 no flying was possible."

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GERMAN OFFICER DESCRIBES ATTACK

LONDON, June 8.—(Via Ottawa Reuter's Agency)—Reuter's correspondent at French headquarters telegraphs:

"A letter written by a German officer gives a striking picture of the opening of the battle from the German viewpoint. It reads: 'On May 25 we had already marched for three nights to reach our destination. By day one hardly ever saw a soldier, but at night the roads swarmed with troops, guns and convoys. Half an hour atfer midnight on the morning of May 27 we arrived and embarked on the road just behind the first line. There was no sleep for me, for a creeping barrage opened from three thousand guns. The earth trembled and the moonlight was obscured by clouds of vapor from the smoke shells.

"'The infantry attack began at 3 o'clock, and 15 minutes afterward we passed the wire entanglements and were bursting into the enemy positions. At the end of two hours we had fought our way through the enemy positions to the Chemin des Dames, opening a passage for the artillery. By evening we had pushed the French beyond the canal and over the Aisne and then began a fierce pursuit. Among the prisoners were British, Italians, Americans and Arabs.'"

U. S. Food Shipments

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Cereal foodstuffs shipped from North America to the Allies during May aggregated 700,278 tons, of which wheat and wheat products constituted 371,253 tons, the food administration estimated tonight. In April shipments were 336,034 tons.

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OBSERVERS GET GOOD RESULTS

Eclipse Watched by Astronomers at Goldendale and Baker Under Favorable Conditions—Cloudy at Denver.

BAKER, Ore., June 8.—Untimely twilight, fast followed by a deeper darkness, swept over a strip of the northwest fifty miles wide today, when the solar eclipse came to pass.

The predicted phenomenon found noted scientists ready for it here. Glasses were trained to read the riddle of the heavens, and to study and photograph the sun's corona and spectrum. Definite conclusions drawn from these observations will be available only after comparison of results attained and deductions as to their significance. The observations were declared to be successful, a slight cloudiness being the only drawback.

The expected results of plunging the world into darkness as of night were observed. Birds sought their nests and chickens went to roost. A gloom as deep as that at 10 o'clock at night enveloped the favored strip of country at the moment of totality. Electric lights were turned on indoors and street cars and automobiles had their headlights burning. Within a few minutes after the total eclipse daylight rapidly returned.

Corona Seen Distinctly

Those devoting their time to the study of the corona were amply rewarded by the wonderfully colored glow of the inner circle, with its moving multi-colored shafts of light, which offered a spectacle rarely seen by humankind. It was of maximum sunshot type, with the glowing and pulsatin glight nearly equally diffused about the sun's surface, whose prominences were also plainly visible. Those watching for effect on nature were also rewarded, for crescent-shaped shadows on the ground were seen, and in some cases where cloth was spread mysterious and unexplained shadow bands were observed, although some failed altogether of results in this partial detail of study.

Scientifically the "Baker eclipse," as the solar phenomenon observed today will be known in records of the the United States naval observatory, whose party made its observations from this city, was successful. Belief was expressed that development of the plates of more than fifty photographs will almost, if not quite, solve the few remaining problems as to solar atmosphere and distance from sun surface.

While the sky was not entirely clear, the light, hazy clouds prevailing are not believed to have seriously hampered observations.

Good Results

"We secured fine results undoubtedly," said J. C. Hammond, head of the naval observatory party. "The thin clouds hindered little if any."

That the photographic and spectroscopic work will produce most successful results was the opinion of Dr. S. A. Mitchell, director of the Leander McCormick observatory, University of Virginia. He has been to many foreign lands for similar study, and in comparing observations elsewhere with those today, said in part:

"The conditions were better than during the Sumatra eclipse, but not quite so good as in Spain, where an absolutely clear sky prevailed. However, we certainly will get excellent results from our work today, and the expedition is a success and very much worth while. We have been amply repaid for the trip."

The first contact reported from the five-inch equatorial by Mr. Hammond and flashed to the naval observatory at Washington was at forty-six minutes and 55 seconds past 2 o'clock, five seconds earlier than figured, due to a slight error in computation of the moon's position.

According to Dr. Mitchell, the first contact of the eclipse in Spain was ten seconds early, showing closer calculation in the present instance than then. In calling the first contact, Mr. Hamond said:

"A solar mountain has taken the first bite out of the moon."

The naval observatory work was under the direction of Mr. J. C. Hammond, assisted by C. C. Wylie and W. M. Conrad, solar atmospheric composition and extent from the sun surface being their objective. Spectroscopic work was directed by Prof. S. A. Mitchell and Prof. L. G. Hoxton, of Leander McCormick observatory, University of Virginia, of which the former is director. Drs. Mary Murray Hopkins and Harriet Bigelow, the only two lady astronomers here, assisted.

Visual observation was made by Dr. George H. Peters, of the naval observatory, who, while he has travelled all over the world studying eclipses, today for the first time actually witnessed one, on the previous occasions having operated instruments in dark rooms.

Special study of the corona lights was made by Edward D. Adams and Kempton Adams, of New York, and Howard Russell Butler, an oil painter of Neno, who came from Princeton, N. J., and made a study of the colors of the corona, listing several varying shades by a shorthand system of numbering. Dr. P. W. Merrill of the Bureau of Standards, also confined his work to the study of the coronal light effect.

Clouds at Denver

DENVER, Colo., June 8.—Astronomers from the staff of the Yerkes observatory of the University of Chicago and other observatories, who gathered at the University of Denver observatory today to make observations of the sun, found that elaborate preparations went for naught, as a result sky during the greater part of the sky durin gthe greater part of the eclipse.

Success at Goldendale

The cloud bank arose shortly before the eclipse began and the sun did not break through until fifty minutes after the eclipse had passed totality.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., June 8.—At 4 p. m., the point of totality, Professor Campbell announced that the conditions for observation had proved first class and that excellent results were assured.

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, June 8.—There were 178 casualties in the list issued last night, of whom 26 were Western men and officers. One of these was killed in action, two died of wounds, one accidentally killed, two prisoners of war, repatriated, one prisoner of war, one wounded and missing, two ill and wounded, two ill, 12 wounded and 12 gassed. Included in the list are the following:

Infantry

Accidentally killed—Lieut. H. F. Choate, Calgary.

Prisoner of war, repatriated—Lieut. T. H. Wickett, Hamilton, Ont.; Lieut. T. C. Fryer, England.

Prisoner of war—Lieut. E. E. Heath, Wallaceburg, Ont.

Ill and wounded—C. A. Best, Vancouver; Lieut. L. M. Duval, M.C., St. John, Que.

Ill—S. L. Burns, Savona, B.C.

Wounded—Captain, Acting-Major J. H. Roy, M.C., Quebec; Lieut. L. Bentley, Toronto.

Artillery

Gassed—C. B. Weld, Vancouver; L. W. Jones, Grand Prairie, Adolphi, B.C.

Railway Troops

Wounded—A. E. Redfern, Victoria.

Gassed—Corporal L. Wilby, Victoria; A. J. Trayling, Hillcrest, B.C.

Medical Services

Died of wounds—Captain W. F. McIsaac, Antigonish, N.S.

SAVAGE TURKS TORTURE GREEKS

Reports of Brutal Ill-Treatment Are Furnished by Mohammedan Prisoners Taken on Salonica Front.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Mohammedan prisoners of war in Salonica, according to a cable message from Athens to the Greek Legation in Washington, made public here today by the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian relief, say that the Greeks in Turkey are undergoing the worst treatment since the fall of Constantinople in 1453 A.D.

The message states the Mohammedans say that since the beginning of the war to the end of 1917, more than 200,000 Greeks between the ages of 15 and 48 have been drafted forcibly into the Turkish army, and that thousands of these have died as a result of ill-treatment, hunger and epidemics.

More than 500,000 Greeks have been deported into Asia Minor. One half of the deportees died from torture and illness," says the cable message.

FOREIGN MISSIONS SHOWS DIMINUTION

LONDON, Ont., June 8.—Some objections were raised by members of the Presbyterian General Assembly at this morning's session to the adoption of the report of the Foreign Mission Board without discussion on Friday evening, when the Assembly listened to addresses from returned missionaries. On motion of Rev. Mr. McGillivray, it was resolved to devote at least half an hour to the discussion of the report of the Board at a later date.

Rev. R. S. Laidlaw, of Winnipeg, presented the report of the committee on Sabbath schools. Among the recommendations of the committee was one to appoint three additional women representatives on the Board.

The Assembly then listened to an address on Sabbath schools by Rev. Dr. C. A. Myers, associate secretary. "If Germany could implant a false and perverted ideal by the instruction for a generation of the youth in her schools and churches, cannot we," he asked, "implant a true Christian and Canadian ideal in our youth?"

On Monday afternoon the Assembly will receive a visit from the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General, and the same afternoon the report of the board of finance will be received.

Mr. Hoover Takes Action

WASHINGTON, June 8. — A country-wide move to reduce the cost of food to the consumer and standardize methods of compelling the observance by dealers of "fair price lists" was ordered today by Food Administrator Hoover. Lists will be published in every county, town and city and consumers will be asked to co-operate with officials to bring their prices to a uniform level.

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LUDENDORFF MAY TRY AT ST. MIHIEL

Reports of Heavy Troop Train Movements Give Rise to Expectation—Montdidier Sector May Be Aimed At.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 7.—(By Associated Press).—Reports of recent German heavy train movements from the direction of Metz towards the St. Mihiel salient has aroused discussion in the American forces as to whether the enemy is planning an assault in the Woevre.

From a tactical point of view, the neighborhood of St. Mihiel, with its sharp salient, offers a logical place for a German attack. A drive through St. Mihiel to the southeast, it is considered, might have a triple object—the menacing of Bar-le-Duc, the outflanking of Verdun from the rear and the elimination of the salient which has its apex at Verdun.

For the moment at least, perhaps permanently, the Allies have stopped the enemy at the Marne. Many engagements of a tactical nature may be expected, even if the Germans decide it is useless to continue their effort along the Marne and elect to hit the Allied line at other places. The position of the railways and the formation of the terrain northwest and north of Bar-le-Duc offer the Germans an opportunity.

Another place which is likely to see more fighting is the sector around Montdidier, where American troops recently captured Cantigny.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 8.—(By Associated Press).—The revival of artillery activity in the sector between Noyon and Montdidier is claiming attention today. Whether the Germans intend to deliver another blow here with their still powerful reserves can not be foreseen, but the indications point to such an event.

The German gunners in this region are active in securing ranges on Allied positions. This work, however, is carried out with difficulty, as the Allied cannon incessantly harry the enemy's battery emplacements and bombard the rear of his line.

Most of the German shock divisions used in the Marne battlefields have been withdrawn from that area.

RUSSIA AVERSE TO INTERVENTION

Representative of Lithuanians Speaks to Secretary Lansing of Difficulties in Way—German Poison Works.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Armed intervention in Russia, through Siberia or otherwise, would be exceedingly difficult because of the hostility of the population, and could not improve the Allied military situation, Secretary Lansing was told today by Dr. John S. Zlupas, of the Lithunian Central Committee, who recently returned from a stay of nearly a year in Russia.

Dr. Zlupas, who called on Mr. Lansing to ask America's moral support for the smaller nationalities in Eastern Russia who are seeking to set up independent states, described Greater Russia as a territory lapsing into barbarism under Bolsheviki domination.

"When I sailed from San Francisco in 1917 to Russia, the ship carried 300 revolutionaries," Dr. Zlupas said, "and they have done their work so thoroughly, in conjunction with the German agents, that the Russian people believe that a capitalistic desire to exploit their country animates American leaders, and that intervention would mean the enslavement of their population. Siberia would be hostile, and only the Japanese could put sufficient men there to maintain themselves in military strength.

"Meanwhile Greater Russia, suffering from famine and minor plagues of typhus, diphtheria and other diseases, is now as it was a thousand years ago.

"Lithunians, and those of other races bordering the German Empire, fearing both the Bolsheviki and the autocratic power, are seeking the moral support of the United States in an endeavor to establish themselves under modern forms of government into distinct nations."

Women at McGill

MONTREAL, June 8.—For the first time in the history of the faculty of medicine in McGill University a woman leads the first year students, the results showing that Miss Jessie M. Boyd, B.A., of this city, is the prizewinner of the class. Miss Mary C. Childs, B.A., finished third, while Miss Lillian D. Irwin, B.A., was thirteenth. Another woman student, Miss Elinor S. Percival, also passed. All four students entered McGill with the formal understanding that the university would not grant them degrees in medicine, but that rule was rescinded some time ago.

Verdict in Murder Case

WINNIPEG, June 8.—A verdict was rendered at the inquest held last night after evidence had been given by four witnesses that Louis Marcle of Camp 94, Greater Winnipeg water district, came to his death June 4 by being struck on the head by some heavy instrument; that on the evidence given it is believed that Nick Powduck, 16 years old, committed the deed."

PARIS, June 8.—The War Office reports: "Eastern theatre, June 7: Near Lake Butkovo, British troops dispersed a Bulgarian reconnaissance. On the front of Doiran Skra-di-Legen the enemy artillery carried out a sustained fire on our position. In the region of Cerna and Monastir bad weather hindered the operations."

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Swedish reports to the State Department announce that the Russian Soviet Republic has abolished all titles of ambassadors and ministers. Both their own and foreign representatives are called without distinction "representative plenipotentiaries."

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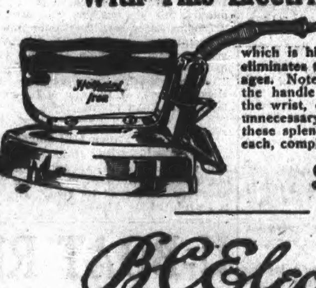
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SEAPLANES BATTLE OFF DUTCH COAST

THE HAGUE, June 8.—Five British and seven German seaplanes of the largest type fought a battle Tuesday evening off the Dutch coast, according to a Terschelling dispatch to the Handelsblad. One of the German machines was observed to fall into the sea in flames. One British machine was forced to descend, but landed safely.

Another British machine, which had descended to the surface of the sea for repairs because of a defective propeller, two hours before the battle, was later set on fire by its five occupants, all of whom waded ashore and gave themselves up for internment. The crew included two Canadians.

The British machines were a squadron of five seaplanes which started Tuesday afternoon on a reconnoitring expedition off the northern Dutch coast. During the afternoon they had met a squadron of five German airplanes, which they drove off without difficulty in three successive encounters.

British Casualties

LONDON, June 8.—British casualties reported during the week ending Friday were: Officers, killed or died of wounds, 208; men, 4,353. Officers, wounded or missing, 753; men, 27,426.

ARRANGING FOR PARIS DEFENCE

Committee Appointed by Government Sets to Work—Danger of Industrial Disruption by Bombardment.

PARIS, June 8.—In an article in Le Matin, dealing with the recent appointment of the Paris committee of defence, Frederick Brunet, a Socialist deputy, says:

"By another drive, made without regard to sacrifices, the Germans, if they did not enter Paris, perhaps could approach near enough to hold the capital under fire of longe range guns, not as now, for an intermittent bombardment, but for methodical permanent fire."

"Such conditions," the deputy says, "would render industrial life impossible, and the Government's will to resist must not be influenced by the fear of sacrificing the lives of non-combatants or by fear of the consequences which a cessation of the output of the munitions factories surrounding the capital would entail."

The committee in question, whose duty it is to defend the Paris area, will not only study plans to meet the threat of invasion, which is regarded as improbable, but will deal with the problems caused by night air raids and the long range bombardments, says a Havas Agency review of the committee's work which summarizes the newspaper comment. The committee also will take into consideration the question of the morale of the population, with the confident assumption that while the enemy can strike at, he can not break down the resolution of courage of the people.

This morning the long range bombardment of the Paris region was renewed.

"The Government has made, just in time, an excellent decision," says The Temps regarding the decree establishing a defence committee for the entrenched camp of Paris. This committee will be charged with the following: The control and execution of measures relative to the organization, armament and provisioning of the camp. At one point at least the experience of 1914 will have borne fruit.

"The German army is not approaching so menacingly to Paris as toward the end of August, 1914, but we hold the enemy army in respect. Wise heads, not blinded by foolish optimism, estimate that notwithstanding the gravity of the situation, the peril will be averted from the capital.

"Whatever comes, it is the part of good government to be prepared for everything. It is the best means of saving all. Feeble brains alone believe that sickness is invited by the writing of wills or that a man's house will burn down because he had it insured. Amid all garrulity and unknowing fear it is good that the Government makes itself heard in clear and virile words."

The committee will begin its work immediately, and will hold the first formal session tomorrow to examine the situation.

BELFAST RIVETTER IS CONGRATULATED

BELFAST, June 8.—The Workman & Clark Company, shipbuilders, today received telegrams of congratulation from King George, Premier Lloyd George, the Lord-Lieutenant and Chief Secretary for Ireland and Sir Edward Carson on the world's record for rivetting established at their yards Wednesday by John Moir, who drove in 12,209 seven-eighths-inch rivets in 9 hours into a standard ship.

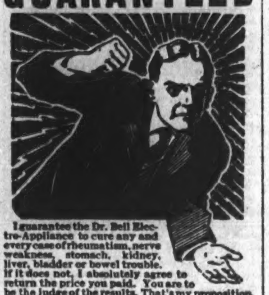
The message from King George reads: "The King is glad to hear of John Moir's record achievement in rivetting."

Sir Edward Carson wired: "It is splendid, and will show the Hun that Ulstermen will continue to use all their powers to defeat the efforts of the U-boats."

Veteran Resident Dies

VANCOUVER, June 8.—Matthew Norton, for forty years a resident of British Columbia, and who as a skilled workman and engineer took part in the construction of the C.P.R. from Port Moody to Vancouver in the early '80's, passed away in St. Paul's hospital on Friday following an operation for internal troubles. He was aged 67 years and a native of England. He had been latterly in the employ of the B. C. Mills Timber & Trading Company at Camp B., Rock Bay.

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WISHES RELIGION TAUGHT IN SCHOOLS

LONDON, Ont., June 8.—A resolution was sprung in the closing moments of this morning's session of the General Assembly by Rev. Dr. J. W. H. Milne, of Ottawa, to the effect that now was the time for the church to affirm its conviction that religious education should form part of the educational systems of the various provinces of the Dominion; that the various Ministers of Education should be communicated with in an endeavor to realize this result, and also that the co-operation be sought of the boards representing the other denominations.

Dr. Milne said that in Ontario in particular this was a time when this matter should be taken up, evidently referring, though he did not mention it, in so many words, to the recent appointment of Rev. Dr. Cody as Minister of Education.

The resolution was referred to the business committee to find it a place on the docket.

ESCORT REPELS PIRATE ATTACK

Submarines Prevented From Operating Against Large Convoy, Including Ships Carrying U.S. Troops to France.

LONDON, June 8.—(Delayed).—German submarines were foiled in their attempts against a convoy which included ships carrying American troops and American Red Cross workers, according to Rev. Father Joseph Wareing, of Baltimore, one of the Red Cross party, who arrived in London yesterday.

The protecting destroyers got into action quickly twice last Sunday, but Rev. Father Wareing did not know whether any submarines had been sunk. Rev. Father Waring, who had a trying experience following the torpedoing of the British steamer Laconia in February, 1917, gives the Associated Press the following:

"Soon after we reached the danger zone our convoy was attacked by German submarines, and for a few minutes I thought I was in for another experience of the same kind as I had on the Laconia. The exact number of the U-boats was not determined, but at least two were seen.

"We had a lively escort of British destroyers, however, and they were on the trail of the periscopes like a flash. Guns and depth charges were dropped into the nest of German submarines. Whether any enemy submarines were sunk I cannot say, for we were on a fast ship and enveloped in smoke, but I know we did not lose a single ship.

"Our convoy carried a large number of American troops—I can't say how many."

ENTENTE SHOULD WORK IN RUSSIA

Opportunity Is Presented for Arousing of People by German Brutality — Russians Wish Allied Victory.

LONDON, June 8.—The Entente Allies have a great opportunity for a combined diplomatic offensive with a view to explaining to Russia and the Austrian Slavs what an Allied victory will mean for them, in the opinion of the Daily Express. The newspaper calls on the Allies to translate vague references to self-determination into concrete terms and to let their pronouncement appear above the signature of the United States as well as the European Allies.

"The German jackboot is heavy, and the German foot in it is ruthless and vigorous. The foot stamps and the boot grinds, but men are sometimes made of hard metal. The crushing may be incomplete, and may stimulate resentment sooner than subjection," the Express says.

"These reflections are suggested by the present conditions in Russia and Austria," it continues. "The better the details of the Brest-Litovsk treaty be understood the more general is Russia's discontent and hostility. She is out of the war, but remains in the front rank of the peoples who abhor Prussian tyranny with all their souls. A patient people, grown familiar with injustice, the Russians are capable of stolid, passive resistance, flaring up now and again into blind revolt, which is already worrying the German conquerors."

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Hope for a complete victory over Germany is expressed in a communication received by President Wilson from the American Chamber of Commerce at Moscow. The Russian people, it is declared, rely on the economic support of the Allies for the reconstruction of the power of Russia.

PEOPLE ARE WARNED TO LAY IN FUEL

WINNIPEG, June 8.—The Canadian railway war board runs an advertisement in local papers today under the heading:

"Forestall fuel famine or freeze." It contrasts the movement of coal from Port Arthur and Fort William in 1917 with that necessary for 1918 from the Western mines. It points out that coal this year must travel five times as long in transit and that 200,000 tons more of coal and 7,708 more cars will be required.

It concludes: "Cars, engines and men are available for coal movement now. After September 1 these facilities will be in the grain service. We warn the citizens of Winnipeg and the West that as next Winter's coal supply must come from Western mines, unless it is moved now suffering and distress from lack of fuel will surely result next Winter."

FARMERS RAISE MUCH OBJECTION

Ontario Men Talk Heatedly About Conscription of Young Men—No Action of Definite Value Is Taken.

TORONTO, June 8.—"Let us put down our foot and say that our sons will not go to the front," declared C. A. Barwood, Owen Sound, when the delegates at the final session of the Farmers' Convention, which met at the Labor Temple this morning, roared their applause.

Despite the fact that many of the delegates had left for their homes, the Labor Temple was filled when the farmers met for the final business today.

Before the meeting practically all the delegates present signed a petition for the release of Isaac Bainbridge, who is under sentence for publishing articles in the Canada Forward calculated to hinder recruiting.

Mr. Barwood told the convention that W. S. Middlebro, M.P., had refused to speak to a farmers' meeting. "We should make a resolution here to take home to the boys tomorrow. As it is now, we go home discouraged. Let us make the right kind of resolution now."

"We are ready at any time that is named to organize and stand with the rest of you farmers," declared Oliver Reaume of Essex County. "I hope I will be able to go home happy tonight and say we have done something," he said. He deplored the race and religious cry that had been raised at the last election.

J. W. Haycock said that the great trouble with those who raised the race and religious cry was that they used too much profanity. There is "too much religion and not enough Christianity," he declared. "Those people should trade off a barrel of their religion for a pint of Christianity. The man who raises a race and religion cry is not only a traitor to his country, but a traitor to his God."

A question then was put from the rear of the hall: "Can anyone here give a statement of the number of recruits raised in Quebec for the great war? The cry has been that Quebec has not done its share. Is this a fact?"

Delegate Mason of Quebec, volunteering to answer, did so by putting a counter question: "Do you think, considering the state of affairs Ontario has come to, that you have done your duty? The newspapers that have said Quebec had not done its duty have been forced to admit that Quebec has. Exemption tribunals were established, and our boys down there exercised their right to ask that they be allowed to remain on the land. Once exemptions were cancelled no more applications were made and they immediately donned khaki."

Mild applause greeted this statement.

Dissatisfaction over the lack of any tangible result toward securing the exemption of their sons from military service prevailed among the delegates today. Several hundred delegates left before noon.

Despite the appeals of some delegates for drastic action, even to using coercion, to prevent their sons from being drafted into military service, nothing was done by the farmers as a body beyond passing a resolution asking the government to amend the act so as to exempt one skilled man for every 100 acres and arranging for more thorough organization of the farmers and their interests.

A resolution introduced calling upon the Governor-General to dissolve parliament was withdrawn after President Halbert voiced a strenuous objection to it. He said that if such action were taken it would make the farmers look ridiculous.

The farmers decided to appoint a paid organizer to organize the various farmers' clubs so that they might have a strong influence politically.

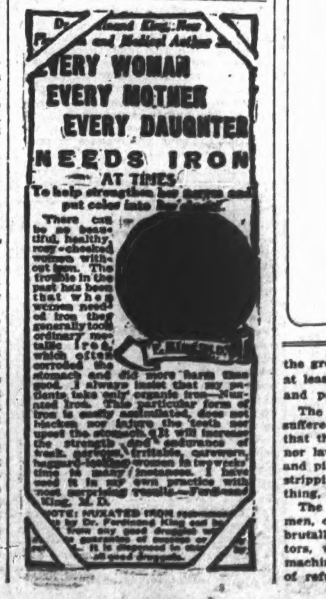
"The farmers will hold no more meetings in Toronto of the character of the one held yesterday," Inspector of Detectives George Kennedy said today. "If I had had any idea that their meeting at Massey Hall was to have been for the purpose of denouncing the government I would have attended and read them order-in-council No. 17," said the inspector. "I would not have allowed them to proceed. I would have advised them to go home and continue their work on the farms, and if they had refused, I would have given them an opportunity to do some work on the industrial farm."

BARBARIANS RAVAGE MORE FRENCH TOWNS

PARIS, June 8.—The Bishop of Soissons, who is now in Paris, today described the havoc wrought in the bishopric of Soissons during the recent offensive of the Germans. He said 100 churches had been razed to the ground by the Germans, and that at least 100 others had been pillaged and partially demolished.

The famous cathedral in Soissons suffered severely. The Bishop added that the Germans knew neither faith nor law; they knew nothing but war and pillage. They were methodically stripping and carrying away everything, he said.

The Bishop also asserted that women, children and old men had been brutally murdered by German aviators, who flew over and with their machine guns fired upon long lines of refugees on country roads.



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TORONTO, June 8.—The Monetary Times' estimate of Canada's fire losses during May, 1918, is $3,570,014, compared with the April loss of $3,240,187 and $1,165,110 for May, 1917. The municipal bond sales in Canada during May totalled $4,571,142, compared with $3,988,995 in April and $1,275,039 in May a year ago.

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OTTAWA AND VICTORIA

It would be interesting for the public of Victoria to ascertain if it is the fault of this city or of Ottawa that the capital of the Dominion is so little aware of the existence of the capital of British Columbia. In official circles at Ottawa practically every happening in Victoria is alluded to as having taken place at Vancouver. Visitors going from here to Ottawa are welcomed as coming from Vancouver. Within the last few weeks one of the leading politicians in the Dominion in greeting an old-time friend and one he had met here on many occasions took the opportunity of asking him about the welfare of Vancouver, as if in coming from British Columbia he must live there. A former Minister of Militia with whom a Victorian took up the question of some matters affecting Work Point barracks inquired of him where Work Point was, and was surprised to learn it was at Victoria, or Esquimalt, to be accurate. The present Minister of Militia spoke of Vancouver as the headquarters of this Military District. Mail addressed to The Colonist office from different Government departments frequently is directed to Vancouver, and, of course, is religiously carried there by the Post Office Department, to be subsequently redirected to Victoria.

Our Department of Militia is gradually beginning to concentrate the different branches of its service in British Columbia in Vancouver. It does this on the plea of economy, although by doing so it means officials from this headquarters have to be travelling to and from the Mainland continuously, and their journeyings are a source of added expense to the Government. There appears to be a studied attempt at Ottawa to ignore this city and it would almost seem the part of wisdom for Victoria to establish a bureau of information at the Federal capital, although, from the experience of the past, it would be a difficult matter to persuade Ottawa circles that Victoria is entitled to her place in the sun. This city is infinitely better known in Winnipeg or in Montreal than in Toronto or Ottawa, and, perhaps, of all the ignorance displayed about us, the greatest prevails in Government circles. It may be the fault lies with our own citizens who to some extent lack the aggressiveness so pertinaciously displayed by the residents of Vancouver. It is seldom Vancouver has not some one at Ottawa on business connected with the city's prosperity, and while there he takes every pains to talk of his own town and of no other in this province. We cannot but admire the publicity work Vancouver has done in the East. It has persuaded most of those who have any influence at Ottawa that it is the only city in British Columbia, with the result all talk of this province in Eastern circles centres on Vancouver.

We have a Development Association here and it would do a very useful work if a large part of its attention were directed to educating the Government on the subject of our claims to be included in the list of places which deserve attention. It should carry on its campaign throughout the East of this Dominion with a view to letting the influential people there know of our existence on the map. Our chief hopes of capital for development in the future lie in Eastern Canada and it is time those responsible for making our possibilities known commenced a crusade of education. It is an old, old question; that of the way we are sidetracked. It is, moreover, an extraordinary commentary on the wisdom of our legislators that the residents of the American Pacific coast should know us better than those who guide the destinies of our own nation at Ottawa. The different organisations which have the welfare of the city at heart cannot do better than collaborate on means of making Victoria known to Eastern Canada.

THE DUTY OF JUNE 22

Yesterday we drew attention to question 12 on the registration cards to be filled out on June 22, pointing out the Government should be more explicit in asking people to volunteer for service in the present national crisis by changing their occupation if their circumstances permit. The information and instructions dealing with the registration have been received and in them there is an elucidation of the point we raised. The object of question 12 is to ascertain how many people there are whose help could probably be counted upon were it to become necessary in the national interest to increase the labor engaged in any essential or important undertaking. The question, it is pointed out, asks: "Do your circumstances permit you to serve?" It is anticipated many persons would be perfectly willing to serve, but who, for reasons of which they themselves would be the best judges, could not do as they would like. The registrant who answers questions 12 in the affirmative does not thereby pledge himself to report for any service that may subsequently be offered him. He will be quite at liberty to decline unless the conditions under which he will be required to work are satisfactory.

It is explained there are some who are so circumstanced they can report for service anywhere. There are others just as anxious to serve who because of family or other ties cannot accept employment that would require them to be away from home. The Registration Board believes if Canada is to make her maximum contribution towards winning the war, ways will have to be found for utilising to the full the services of both classes. This explanation of the purposes of the question about which there has been some doubt is perfectly satisfactory and it will go a long way towards helping registrants to fill in their cards. It should be pointed out every question asked must be answered. If any person refuses to answer any question "he shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars."

Most of the publicity undertaken by the Government in the matter of the forthcoming registration is apparently being left to the registrars in the various provinces, and we are not sure they are doing enough. It must be borne in mind word of the registration must penetrate into every place in the Dominion where there are human beings. It is a matter which cannot be kept too much before the public. Men and women of all nationalities in the Dominion will have to register for the only ones exempt are cloistered nuns, persons upon active service in any of His Majesty's naval and military forces, and persons confined in asylums or jails. We see nothing in the regulations which excludes Indians, or Chinese or Doukhobors. For these reasons too widespread publicity cannot be given to the inventory to be taken, nor can the public be too strongly impressed with the compulsory nature of the regulations. No doubt the different provincial registrars are taking this into account, and will do all within their power to let everyone affected know between now and June 22.

KEMMEL HILL

Yesterday the British troops engaged in a successful minor enterprise east of Dickebusch Lake, and every other day we hear of small local attacks being made in the vicinity of Locre, all of which would seem to show the time is approaching when Sir Douglas Haig will make an attempt to recapture Kemmel Hill, one of the defences of Calais. The loss of Kemmel Hill was one of the worst blows sustained during the fighting south of Ypres last April and we hardly think there is any doubt it will be one of the first objectives when a counter offensive is undertaken. It is a little hill, only 512 feet in height, but in a war of this character its occupation is of great tactical value. It is the eastern spur of a six-mile long range of hills running due west from the Belgian frontier towards Cassel. Eastward of this range is the Wytschaete-Messines ridge. The Kemmel range rises out of a plain which does not average more than 100 feet above sea level. The Allies are now defending the other hills of the range—Scherpenberg, Mont Rouge, Mont Note, Mont Kokereele and Mont de Cats—and if they were to lose these they would have to abandon Ypres and possibly fall back on a line running from Poperinghe to Hazebrouck. To complete their chain of defence they need to recapture Kemmel Hill. We have little doubt the persistent drumming at the German line in that vicinity is the preliminary to a counter offensive which will insure the continued occupation of the ruins of Ypres.

Those who have fought on the Western front cannot dwell enough on the importance of being in possession of high ground. That is why the capture of Vimy Ridge was regarded as one of the most important of British successes on the Western front. A hump of ground, which could not be dignified by the name of hill, can be transformed into a defensive work to take which would cost thousands of lives. The Butte de Warlencourt was a noticable illustration of this. Its defenders held thousands of storming infantrymen at bay for several weeks. Kemmel is probably even more strongly defended with all that can be done with barbed wire, with machine guns, with the spade, with caves beneath and pop-holes above, every portion of the hill being made a coign of vantage by the enemy. By their attacks east of Dickebusch Lake the Allies are attempting to advance north of Kemmel Hill in a flanking movement. We shall probably hear of Kemmel figuring vividly in the news before many weeks have passed by, for its possession is of vital importance for the defence of that portion of Flanders.

MR. CHARLES SCHWAB

Interest in shipbuilding in Victoria would receive an impetus if it is possible for Mr. Charles Schwab to pay a visit here and address the Canadian Club. He has been invited to do so and there are few Americans the people will be more glad to see for he is the embodiment of energy. Since being put in control of shipbuilding in the United States he has accomplished marvels. In the past his name has always been associated with the steel industry and to some extent he is now occupying a new role, but it is not altogether new for he is the foremost individual American shipbuilder. He controls the Union Iron Works of San Francisco; the Fore River Shipbuilding Company of Quincy, Mass.; Harlan & Hollingsworth, Wilmington, Del.; and the Maryland Steel Company, Sparrowpoint, Maryland. Thus, on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, he has immense interests.

He began life as one of Mr. Carnegie's young men and at the age of 33 had risen to be president of the Carnegie Company. Before he was 40 years of age he was president of the $1,000,000,000 United States Steel Corporation. After three years in this position he acquired the Bethlehem works for himself and now that concern is said to have an output of ordnance equal to that of Krupps. Big business is the motto of Mr. Schwab and he certainly has done things in a big way during his career, which is at once an industrial and financial romance. He is a man of remarkable driving power, unlimited determination and untiring energy. He embodies the spirit of America's preparations in this war. A visit from him is a tonic to any community and it will be an honor to Victoria if out of his crowded life he can spare a few hours to avail himself of the invitation of the local Canadian Club.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

The Price of Coal

Sir,—In your issue of the 5th inst. you quote Mr. Joshua Kingham as stating that the local coal dealers' profit on a ton of coal (2,000 pounds) delivered to consumers is only 31 cents. He is credited with the submission of the following figures in support of his contention:

F.O.B. at mines—per long ton	$5.80
Towage and discharging	.75
Less difference between long and short ton	.70
Allowance for screenings—sold as slack	.40
Cost of screening, sacking and weighing	.90
Wharfage	.25
Rent, office expenses—including salaries, advertising, stationery, stamps, etc.	.45
Cost of sacks, per ton	.20
Cost of delivery	.85
Marine insurance	.12
Shrinkage	.07
Total	$8.49

This statement is incorrectly totalled and is confusing, as items of profit are included in the cost, but the actual cost to the dealer per ton of 2,240 pounds can be readily segregated and the net profit reached.

The following analysis will show the profit as I understand it:

To 2,240 pounds F.O.B. mines	$5.80
Towage and discharging	.75
Screening, sacking and weighing	.30
Wharfage	.25
Rent—including all overhead expenses	.45
Delivery	.85
Cost of sacks per ton	.20
Marine insurance	.12
Shrinkage	.07
To balance	$1.11
Total	$9.90
By value to dealer of 240 pounds (excess over short ton)	.70
By value of screenings	.40
By price received from consumer for 2,000 pounds	8.80
Total	$9.90
Nett profit to dealer	$1.11

I question the following items of cost:

Rent	.45
Delivery	.85
Sacks	.20

H. W. HERCHMER,
407 Sayward Block, Victoria, B. C.,
June 8, 1918.

The Bond of Friendship

Sir,—Replying to a recent letter inquiring for relatives of a soldier named James Young, my wife and I desire to express our appreciation of the endeavors of Drum-Sergt.-Major A. Anderson and Bandmaster Rumsby in their praiseworthy efforts to restore the effects of a missing comrade, the intrinsic value of which is infinitesimal compared with the noble example of "Camaraderie" so continuously exhibited by all ranks at the front. Myself a returned soldier and the father, desire to emphasise my personal experience of this, and to assure others having those near and dear to them overseas that the same true bond of friendship is pre-eminent.

J. W. YOUNG,
Late 1st Pioneers.
932 Johnson Street, Victoria, B.C.,
June 7, 1918.

Captain W. H. Hayward, M.P.P.

Sir,—for some time past the Duncan Board of Trade and two local unions of the U. F. B. C. have been agitating for the return or resignation of Capt. W. H. Hayward, member for the Cowichan electoral district in the Provincial Legislature, and it probably gives considerable satisfaction to the promoters and supporters of the resolutions from those bodies to know that Capt. Hayward has accepted the "Hobson's choice" which their resolutions intended, and offers to resign his seat, as will be seen by his letter published in The Cowichan Leader of yesterday.

Without going into the question of the loss which, it is alleged, the district has suffered owing to his absence, the fact remains that Capt. Hayward was nominated and afterwards elected by a majority of both civilian and military voters of the Cowichan electoral district, with the full knowledge that his military duties would have precedence over parliamentary affairs, and in this view the result of the voting shows the majority concurred.

The Cowichan branch of the G.W.V.A., at their meeting on March 30th last strongly resented the resolutions referred to and said so in no uncertain terms, in which no doubt, a considerable number of the residents of the district agreed.

An attempt was made to place the responsibility for the "return or resign" resolution of the two locals of the U.F.B.C., bup the Duncan Board of Trade is equally responsible in this respect, even though the resolution from their body did not specifically mention the exact words. Their resolution was as follows:

"Resolved that the secretary be instructed to communicate with Captain Hayward and ascertain his views and plans for the future, intimating the board's desire that, in the best interests of this district, he may make such arrangements as may be deemed advisable in order that Cowichan may have its representative actively at work at home."

Can any sensible person construe a different meaning to the above resolution than that Capt. Hayward should return or resign? Taken in conjunction with the statement of the secretary of the Board of Trade at their meeting that he "did not think the military authorities would grant him (Capt. Hayward) his discharge, but he could resign his seat," no other meaning could be attached to it.

The whole business savors too much of political jobbery, engineered by a certain clique whose vision does not extend beyond the dollar mark, and one is compelled to doubt the sincerity of the eulogies of Capt. Hayward's services emanating from that body. If the Board of Trade or any other body is sincere in the expression of doing what they can to win the war, then they should put up with any inconveniences towards that end, as the men at the front are doing, even if the absence of our member causes such inconvenience and loss as they allege, but which has not yet been demonstrated.

The Duncan Board of Trade does not comprise the whole electorate and the supporters of Capt. Hayward will undoubtedly refuse to accept his resignation at this time.

R. WHITTINGTON,
Duncan, B. C., June 7, 1918.

Women's Labor Bureau

Sir,—I am sure the women of Victoria will like to know what success attended my first effort of a Labor Bureau. Well, it was just splendid. My helper, Mrs. F. Marshall, and I were more than surprised at the results, and at the talent and ability offered, not for the mere idea of earning money, that was the least consideration shown, the eagerness displayed by the applicants (which, by the bye, Mr. Editor, was 95 per cent English) to do or to die if need be, if only they were sure of the boys at the front being looked after, could not help but bring forth our admiration, as also the experienced labor offered.

There was only one who said she could not work very much, a dear old lady, very small and fragile looking, who came quietly in. She knew she could do no hard work, but in such a gentle, loving way she said, "But perhaps I could help a little the dear soldier boys who are doing so much for me, by minding some woman's child, or do a little house work or cooking to release the younger and stronger women who were able to do more than she could. I feel like putting my arms round her to shield her, and I sure was glad my two sons are helping to protect her. And if I could have had my way, I would have had every striker there, to look at that gentle loving face, and if he had not gone as straight as the crow flies back to his work, after hearing and seeing her, then I should have been sure that he belonged to the inhuman race that war on the old and helpless ones, women and children. And I want the strikers to know that help will be forthcoming from a source and supply that will make them open their eyes if there is another strike.

The women have at last wakened up, and the bull dog tenacity is evident, and as I raise my eyes from my paper, I see on my wall a picture of the bull-dog and underneath written, "What we have we hold," so take this home you men, that I and other women relatives of the boys at the front have got hold of the idea that the boys in Flanders and the returned heroes are not getting justice, and I fall back upon your own demands when I say that, because if they were paid according to your ideas of payment, they would be getting seventy times seven more than they are, and while I cannot fight when I want bread myself, not even when it is my right, I will fight to the death for my boys and those boys who gladly gave up all to do their duty, and with the bulldog grip, I will never let go till I get justice for them, so now, women of Victoria, be ready, and watch the papers for the announcement of the formation of Canada's Women's Army, and also take note, the list of names of workers will be sent to the authorities.

(MRS.) FRANK ACKROYD.
Selkirk Arm, Victoria, B.C., June 8th, 1918.

MAKE U.S. WAR AIMS KNOWN IN GERMANY

NEW YORK, June 8.—The $1,000 prize offered by the National Security League for the best suggestion of a method of getting America's war aims before the people of Germany has been divided equally, it is announced here, among Dr. Henry Louis Smith, president of the Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., John C. Ralston, a consulting engineer of Spokane; James Manahan, Brookline, Mass., and F. J. Neubauer, Bronxville, N. Y.

The judges, former Ambassador Gerard, Dr. David J. Hill and J. B. Hodges, decided that the suggestions submitted by these four contestants were of equal merits.

Acting on the advice of the judges, the National Security League withheld the suggestions "for the reason that they are of such practical value that their publication might frustrate their effectiveness." Instead, the plans accompanied by the drawings will be turned over to Secretary of War Baker.

NEW EMPIRE ORDER LIST OF DECORATIONS

LONDON, June 8.—Sixty leaders in war work of various kinds are made Knights of the newly-created Order of the British Empire, as part of the King's birthday honors, the first list of which will be issued Monday.

They include Shirley Benn, M.P. for Plymouth and chairman of the Belgian Relief Society; Harry E. Brittan, one of the founders of the Pilgrim's Society, and for years an active promoter of Anglo-American relations; Henry Japp, of the British war mission to the United States; Col. Albert Stern, liaison officer of the British and American camp departments, and Hall Caine, the author.

Viscountess Harcourt is one of the seven Dames of the Grand Cross of the Order. Sir Charles B. Gordon, of the British war mission to the United States, is made a Knight of the Grand Cross of the Order.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, June 9, 1868.)

From Burrard Inlet—The steamer Isabel returned from Burrard Inlet early yesterday morning. On Saturday the Isabel met the ship Siam, bound for the mills under sail, and towed her to the Inlet. The vessels in the Inlet are the ships Siam and Asiatic and the bark Princess Royal.

Lumber Ships Coming—Captain Stamp, who arrived from San Francisco on Saturday, will charter several ships to load spars and lumber at his mills. At present freights rule high in consequence of the great demand for wheat in the East.

Oregon flour commands $17.50 in gold per barrel in the New York markets, and large shipments are made across the Isthmus on every opportunity.

Whitewear Week

A Special One Week's Display of Dainty Summer Undermuslins Commences Monday



These are the days for replenishing wardrobes with new and dainty Undermuslins for the Summer season. Women cannot help but find just the garments wanted in our large and unique display. There is an endless range of styles to choose from, and the fabrics used in them are of excellent quality, and the prices sound more like the prices of a year or two ago, for now it is a rare thing to get Underwear like these for so little.



Women's Drawers

Drawers, made of heavy muslin with frill, finished with Torchon lace. Price, 75c.

Drawers of fine muslin with deep tucked frill; O. S. sizes. Price 75c.

Bloomers of flesh and white batiste with elastic at top and knee, including O. S. sizes. Price, 85c and 95c.

Drawers of fine muslin with tucked frill. Price, 50c.

Princess Slips

Princess Slips of good quality muslin in open front style, finished with frills of embroidery and dust frills; top is embroidery trimmed; all sizes. Price, $3.25.

Princess Slips of heavy quality muslin with embroidery frills; top finished with edging; all sizes. Price, $2.50.

Whitewear for Children at Popular Prices

Goddess Corsets Front Laced

These are well made and extremely comfortable and will be appreciated by women who know the economy of wearing good corsets. Models for the average, medium and slight figures. They are developed from plain and brocaded coutil in flesh and white; medium and low bust styles, with free hip and everlastic hose supports. Sizes 20 to 27. Extra values at $2.50 to $5.00.

Brassieres $1.25

Brassieres of good quality white cotton. Perfect fitting style with V-shaped neck, reinforced under arm, embroidery trimmed. Splendid value at $1.25.

GIRLS' WASH KILTS
Sizes 4 to 14 years.
Price, 85c to $1.50

Women's Night Gowns

Dainty Gowns, in slip-over style, made of fine nainsook, pretty yokes of fine lace and embroidery; ribbon bows. Price, $3.50.

Slip-Over Gowns of fine muslin and nainsook; deep lace yokes with ribbon draws and bows. Price, $2.50.

Gowns of fine muslin in the favored tailored and lacey styles; made with round, V and square necks. Special values at $1.69.

Gowns of good quality muslin, made in slip-over and open front styles; lace and embroidery trimmed. Special at 95c.



New Wirthmor Waists at $1.50

Incredible though it seems, it is still possible to buy a correctly-styled and thoroughly desirable waist for just $1.50. The Wirthmor that we—and we alone in this city can sell at this small sum—combines all the worth-while characteristics of waists generally sold at considerably higher prices. They are made in a host of pretty styles from dainty Voiles and Mulls and trimmed with lace and embroidery. Come in and see these dainty waists tomorrow.

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Underskirts

Underskirts of fine muslin and nainsook with combination frills of embroidery and lace edging; also deep embroidery frills and dust frills. Price, $2.50.

Underskirts of good quality muslin with deep tucked frill. Price, 90c.

Underskirts of heavy white pique with deep frill, finished with feather stitching. Price, $1.69.

Envelope Chemise

Envelope Chemise of fine nainsook and mull in flesh and white, daintily trimmed with lace and motifs or medallions and ribbon draw; all sizes. Price, $1.95.

Envelope Chemise of fine muslin with deep yokes of lace and embroidery insertion; V, square and round necks; all sizes. Price, $1.75.

Corset Covers

Corset Covers in many dainty designs, lace and embroidery trimmed; all sizes. Special, 79c.

Wash Skirts

Women's Wash Skirts of fine rep in two smart styles; one is buttoned down front with pockets, the other is closed front with belt and pockets; sizes 23 to 28. Price, $1.50.

Wash Skirts of rep in buttoned front style with two novelty pockets and belt; sizes 23 to 30; O. S. sizes 30 to 36. Price, $2.00.

Women's Wash Skirts of fine rep and pique, in generous cut styles; one has shirred waist, belt and patch pockets; another has high waist, deep belt, round pocket and buttoned trimmed; sizes 23 to 30. Price, $2.75.

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Boy Killed by Motor

VANCOUVER, June 8.—John Morris, aged 16, of 231 Templeton Drive, died shortly before 11 p.m. last evening as the result of injuries sustained yesterday morning in a collision with a motor car driven by Oscar Lahti, of New Westminster. The boy was riding on a bicycle in company with another youth, Roy McNutt. The latter was propelling the bicycle and Morris was sitting in front of him. Lahti was released on his own recognizance.

SPECIAL SESSION MAY BE CALLED

Action of Federal Government in Disallowing Settlers' Rights Act Held to Affect Provincial Rights.

There is a possibility that a special session of the Provincial Legislature may be summoned soon in consequence of the situation which has arisen through the recent action of the Federal Government in disallowing the Settlers' Rights Act Amendment Act, 1917. The measure extended the time granted in the Settlers' Rights Act, 1904, to settlers and "squatters" on lands transferred by the Province to the Dominion for railway purposes and by the Dominion transferred to the E. & N. Railway Company as a land grant to come in and make their claims to title. Under the 1917 Act, which let in some 175 claimants who had failed to present their claims on or before the expiration of the time limit set in the 1904 act, claims for lands aggregating some 33,000 acres were received, and two Crown grants awarded to claimants.

The action of the Federal Government following representations made on behalf of the E. & N. Railway Company, the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, and financial concerns interested in its bonds, as well as the committee of the London Stock Exchange whereon the bonds are listed, not alone has a serious effect upon titles to coal areas, including those recently secured by the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company, which last year initiated large operations for development of coal lands in the vicinity of Cassidy's Landing, near Nanaimo (titles which are claimed by the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited). It also brings up the broader question of the constitutionality of the Province's enactment of 1917, especially in view of the fact, as alleged by the Government, that the Privy Council, in the now famous McGregor case in 1907, upheld the Province's right to enact the 1904 act and that, therefore last year's act was quite constitutional, as it merely provided for an extension of time to settlers within which to make their claims, but did not in any way affect the principle of the 1904 statute.

Awaits Full Details

Pending the receipt from Ottawa of full particulars of the facts and representations upon which the Federal Government disallowed the 1917 act, no member of the Government is prepared to make any statement. But Premier Oliver stated yesterday that the matter has been considered by the Government in the light of the facts known to date, and he also stated that representations have been made to the Government that a special session of the Legislature should be summoned, though he intimated that such came from parties who could not be considered as greatly interested in the broad question of the Provincial status in the matter. But the Premier did not deny that the possibility of a special session might become a probability, and he intimated that the question as to whether there was a precedent for a special session of a Provincial Legislature to deal with the case of the disallowance of its statute by the Federal Government had occupied the attention of the Cabinet. So far as he knew, offhand, no such precedent existed, but, as he stated, there was no valid reason why British Columbia should not create one.

The Premier stated that the matter of the interests of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, or the Granby concern, or other parties or individuals, is not the point at issue so far as the Province is concerned. Rather is it one involving the right of the Province to enact such legislation, its constitutional right to deal with such matters without the interference of the Federal Government. This broad phase of the question, he said, is one in which the Province is vitally affected.

May Open Wide Question

Premier Oliver intimated that a throwing open of the whole question might result in an outcome not dreamed of by the people of the Province; that it might have a very vital bearing upon the whole question of titles in the E. & N. Railway belt. When pressed to be more specific, he stated that he did not desire to go into the question until such time as the Government is in full possession of the transactions before the Cabinet at Ottawa out of which the disallowance action arose.

Just what is the necessity of a special session was also a matter upon which the Premier was reticent. It is known that the Cabinet has had suggested to it a special session for the purpose of re-enacting the act of last year and immediately afterwards, and, before it could be disallowed by Ottawa, issuing Crown grants to claimants who came in under last year's act. It is suggested that while in such an event the Federal Government might, and probably would, disallow the new act, yet such a step could not be taken until after the Crown grants had issued, and that as the act would be valid until disallowed the grants issued thereunder would be valid. But that is a fine point for the lawyers.

A resume of the history of the question of Settlers' Rights on Vancouver Island was given yesterday by Mr. Harold B. Robertson, of the law firm of Messrs. Barnard, Robertson, Heisterman & Tait, solicitors for the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, which acquired the Dunsmuir interests in the coal and land in the E. & N. railway belt, and which asserts title to the coal in lands for which claimants under the Settlers' Rights' Act have put in their claims.

A press dispatch from Ottawa on the 4th inst., referring to the Dominion's action in disallowing the Provincial Act, said:

"The Dominion Government has disallowed the Act passed by the British Columbia Legislature in 1917 amending the Vancouver Island Settlers' Rights Act, 1904. The principal ground of disallowance is that this legislation interfered with Dominion policy and affected the title to certain lands on Vancouver Island conferred by the Province on the Dominion, as well as the title granted by the Dominion to the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company. Further, it is claimed, the legislation so affected the present holders in regard to what had been conferred on them by the Dominion that, for the protection of the Dominion interests involved, it was deemed necessary to exercise the power of disallowance."

Speaking from the point of view of interests which petitioned for disallowance of the Provincial Act Mr. Robertson summarized the situation by saying that the action of the Province in passing the Settlers' Rights Act was a distinct breach of agreement with the Dominion whereunder the E. & N. Railway was constructed and that the Province, having got all it wanted in the way of the railway, turned about and gave the lands to settlers. In the second place, if the Province could, after twelve or fourteen years, break its agreement and give land to those who have no legal right to it and actually confiscate it from the companies to which it was originally given, there would be absolutely no security to concerns willing to invest large amounts in development and which would find themselves without protection.

Terms of Union

Commencing at the very beginning, Mr. Robertson stated that by the terms of union the Colony of British Columbia was admitted into the Dominion of Canada upon the terms and conditions set forth in certain addresses made by the House of Parliament of Canada and the Legislative Council of British Columbia to Her Majesty the Queen, and one of the terms set out in the addresses and forming part of the terms of union was as follows:

"11. The Government of the Dominion undertake to secure the commencement simultaneously, within two years from the date of the Union, of the construction of a railway from the Pacific towards the Rocky Mountains, and from such point as may be selected, east of the Rocky Mountains, towards the Pacific, to connect the seaboard of British Columbia with the railway system of Canada; and further, to secure the completion of such railway within ten years from the date of the union.

"And the Government of British Columbia agree to convey to the Dominion Government, in trust, to be appropriated in such manner as the Dominion Government may deem advisable in the furtherance of the construction of the said railway, a similar extent of public lands along the line of railway, throughout its entire length in British Columbia, not to exceed, however, twenty miles on each side of the said line, as may be appropriated for the same purpose by the Dominion Government from the public lands in the North-West Territories and the Province of Manitoba: Provided, that the quantity of lands which may be held under preemption right or by Crown Grant within the limits of the tract of land in British Columbia to be so conveyed to the Dominion Government shall be made good to the Dominion from contiguous public lands; and, provided, further, that until the commencement within two years, as aforesaid, from the date of the union, of the construction of the said railway, the Government of British Columbia shall not sell or alienate any further portions of the public lands of British Columbia in any other way than under right of preemption, requiring actual residence of the pre-emptor on the land claimed by him. In consideration of the land to be so conveyed in aid of the construction of the said railway, the Dominion Government agree to pay to British Columbia, from the date of the Union, the sum of $100,000 per annum, in half-yearly payments in advance."

Lands Reserved

On the 1st of July, 1873, the Province by Order-in-Council reserved a strip of land twenty miles in width along the eastern coast of Vancouver Island between Seymour Narrows and the Harbor of Esquimalt, in response to a request from the Dominion for such reservation and for the conveyance to the Dominion in trust according to the 11th paragraph of the Terms of Union of the said strip twenty miles in width; and on the 18th July, 1874, the Province, by notice in the Gazette, reserved from the right to be occupied or to be acquired by occupation, settlement, record, pre-emption or improvement under the provisions of the Land Act, 1874, all lands which had been reserved prior to the date of this notice, including the twenty-mile strip.

That reserve was never lifted, and, therefore, during the period from 1873 to the 19th December, 1883, when the Settlement Act hereinafter mentioned was passed, there was no right to any person to pre-empt or otherwise acquire lands within the twenty-mile strip, and the Province and its Government officers consistently refused to allow any person to acquire any of the lands included in the said twenty-mile strip, either by pre-emption or otherwise.

Notwithstanding this fact, certain persons alleged that they had prior to 19th December, 1883, squatted on the said lands, but such persons had no legal title thereto whatever.

On the 19th December, 1883, the Act commonly known as "The Settlement Act" was passed by the Legislature of British Columbia. It provided for the Province conveying to the Dominion what is properly known as the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Land Belt, such lands to be held by the Dominion in trust to subsidize any company which might be entitled under the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. The railway was constructed by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company, whereupon the Dominion granted to the railway company the E. & N. Belt.

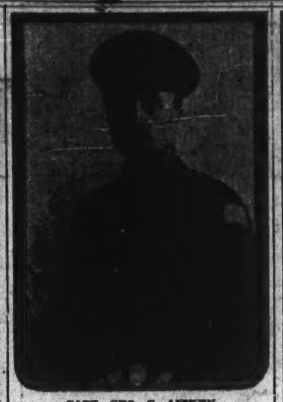
The Settlemet Act preserved the existing rights, if any, of persons or corporation in lands in the E. & N. Belt and provided that the grant to the Dominion should not include lands held under Crown grant, lease, agreement for sale or other regulation of the Crown, nor was it to include Indian Reserves, or settlements, or naval or military reserves:

Rights of "Squatters"

Section 23 of the Settlement Act gave the right to bona fide squatters who had continuously occupied and improved any of the lands within the E. & N. Belt for a period of one year prior to the 1st day of January, 1883, to a grant of the freehold of the surface rights only of the squatted land to the extent of 160 acres to each squatter at the rate of $1 per acre and further reserved the right to any person for a period of four years from the 19th December, 1883, to acquire the surface rights only to 160 acres at the rate of $1 per acre. A number of bona fide squatters who were entitled under Sec. 23 made their applications and received their Crown grants of the surface.

A number of persons who pre-empted within four years from the 19th December, 1883, obtained Crown Grants of the surface, and all persons to whom lands had been alienated by the Crown under Crown grant, lease or

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THE CITY AND DISTRICT IN BRIEF

Gonzales Chapter to Meet—The regular meeting of the Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held Tuesday morning at 10:30 at the headquarters, 35 Arcade Building.

Meets on Thursday—The Great War Next-of-Kin Association will hold its rgeular meeting at the Y.W.C.A. assembly room at 8 p.m. on Thursday next, when a full attendance of members is requested.

Repeat Concert — Tomorrow evening the Arion Club is to repeat at The Willows the concert given by it recently at Resthaven and Esquimalt. The event will doubtless be greatly enjoyed by the soldiers.

Damages Garden—The Sister Superior of St. Ann's Convent has complained to the local police that a gang of boys make nightly raids on their gardens, breaking and pulling flowers and damaging the trees.

Found in Opium Joint—Wo Low and On were arraigned before Magistrate Jay in the police court yesterday morning charged with being found in an opium joint situated in a room rear of 536 Cormorant Street. Each was fined $15 and $2.50 costs.

Municipal Chapter to Meet—A special general meeting of the I.O.D.E. Municipal Chapter is called for Thursday morning, June 13, at 10.30, at headquarters, 35 Arcade Buildings, to discuss the question of making and forwarding jam for the troops, and also other business.

Will Form New Centre—The young ladies of the Victoria Club are meeting in their club rooms on Monday evening for the purpose of forming a new centre for Red Cross work. They extend an invitation to any young ladies not already engaged in Red Cross work to join them in their organisation meeting.

Notice to Girl Guides — Will those younger Guides who have volunteered or wish to act as orderlies at the Girl Guide fruit-picking camp communicate with Captain Leighton early this week, and she will give them all particulars. They must obtain the consent of their parents before undertaking this work. The only expense to them will be their transportation to and from Gordon Head.

Towards Drop Curtain — On Wednesday, June 12, the Christian Endeavor Union of the city will give a concert in the schoolroom of the Congregational Church, the proceeds of which will be given to the fund from which the society purchased recently a very nice drop-curtain to put in the Willows Y.M.C.A. hut and which has very much added to the attractiveness of the entertainments given there.

Minister of Finance Invited.—Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, yesterday received a telegram from Sir Thomas White, Federal Minister of Finance, inviting him to attend a conference to be held at Ottawa on June 25th, at which arrangements for the next Victoria loan issue will be discussed. Sir Thomas expressed the hope that the Province would give its ful co-operation in making the loan a success.

Invite Evangelist—The members of the First Presbyterian Church have endorsed the action of the Moderator in inviting Rev. J. L. Brown, of Siloam Springs, U. S. A., to conduct a three weeks' evangelistic campaign in British Columbia. Rev. J. G. Inkster, whose work was specially commended by Messrs. McLorie and Thompson, announced that he had been asked to deliver four sermons in Portland, Ore., during August.

Earthquake Recorded.—At 2:35 p. m. on Friday the seismographs at Gonzales Observatory commenced to register an earthquake, the record continuing for an hour. Mr. Napier Denison estimates the distance at 1,500 miles from Victoria to the seat of the disturbance, which would make it probable that it occurred in Alaska in the absence of any news from California to the effect that a shock had been felt there.

On Its Up-Island Trip.—Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works; Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, and Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, left yesterday to spend the week-end in the vicinity of Nanaimo. It is probable they will enjoy a day's fishing at Horne Lake, where the Minister of Mines has a summer house, and where the fishing, if all the stories of the catches made are correct, is exceptionally fine.

Want Motors for Wednesday—The organizers of his jitney dance to be held at the Gorge Park on Wednesday afternoon and evening in aid of the funds of the Comrades of the Great War would be most grateful for the offer of assistance from a few owners of motor cars to assist in conveying the members of the Filipino Band, which will provide the programme, to and from the fete. Any one willing to assist in the matter is requested to communicate with members of the committee, phone 5538Y

Furnishing Club Room—A dance is being given on Tuesday night at the Hippodrome Hall, under the management of Mrs. George Simpson, and with a good orchestra promised to furnish the music. The proceeds of the event will be devoted to a fund which is being made toward the furnishing of the club room for the Comrades of the Great War, and a very delightful time is assured all patrons. Dancing will be from 9 to 1.

Lonely Sailor's Thanks — The Voluntary Service Corps met on Thursday last in the I.O.D.E. rooms, Arcade Buildings. Mrs. J. Horn, as convener for May for the packing of boxes for lonely sailors, reported that she had sent away nine. The secretary read a reply which she had received from a lonely wounded sailor thanking the Corps for their gift and expressing his very great appreciation. Mrs. Atkinson was appointed convener for June. It was decided to make up contributions this month from among the members.

Patriotic Fund Contributions—The following are among some of the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society: Staff, B.C. Land & Investment Agency, $19.10; employees, B.A. Paint Co., Ltd., $29.60; staff, Messrs. Gordons, Ltd., $20; Adam Ross and T. H. Gemmell, $6; officers and crew, C.G.S. Newington, $14.65; officers and crew, C.G.S. Estevan, $38.30; employees R. P. Rithet & Co., $34.25; employees Cameron Genoa Mills, Shipbuilders, Ltd., $93; City Fire Hall, $56.60; Sidney residents, $14; Pacific Club employees, $20; Outside employees, City, $19.50; employees Marine Iron Works, $13.15; Post Office staff, $91.

Land for Soldiers.—Timber licence No. 38,293, covering 650 acres on Porpoise Bay, Sechelt Inlet, about thirty-five miles from Vancouver, will shortly be thrown open by the Provincial Government exclusively for returned soldiers. Survey of the land, which contains eleven parcels, shows it will make suitable homesites for small farmers and those who may engage in fishing or lumbering. From August 14 to 21 inclusive applications may be made by returned soldiers with the Government agent at Vancouver, and on August 29th allotments will be made by drawing. The lands will be free of taxation for five years and will cost the soldier nothing so long as he lives up to the provisions of the land act, which calls for five years' residence and $10 improvements per acre, including clearing clearing and cultivating five acres.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. H. E. Young entertained the members of the Women's University Club at her beautiful home on Oliver Street, Oak Bay, the guest of honor of the afternoon being Miss Juniper, supervisor of domestic science in the city schools, who is leaving next month for New Zealand to assume a similar position there. Little Miss "Fyvie" Young presented Miss Juniper with a lovely basket of roses during the afternoon, this being one of the pretty features of a little ceremony of greeting and farewell which took place, and in response to which Miss Juniper gave a very thoughtful little talk apropos of the work which she was leaving here and the wider national significance which it should come to have. The tea arrangements were very charmingly carried out, Mrs. Young being assisted by several of the University Club members in serving the guests.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Dramatic Entertainment by the pupils of Miss Ellers, assisted by local musical talent, will be given in the schoolroom of First Congregational Church, Wednesday, June 12, at 8.15. Proceeds for Military Entertainment Fund of Local C. E. Union. Admission 25c.

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., meeting, Arcade Building, 2:30 Tuesday.

Provincial W.C.T.U. convention, First Congregational Church, June 11, 12, 13.

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Chiffonier—Golden quarter cut oak. Reg. $75.00 for **$57.50.**

Chiffonier—Bird's eye maple. Reg. $7.00 for **$45.00.**

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Dresser—Mahogany. Reg. $90.00 for **$59.50.**

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SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over the Interior and showers are becoming general. Fair and moderately warm weather prevails in the Prairie Provinces.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B.C.	51	67
Vancouver	54	62
Kamloops	44	68
Barkerville	44	68
Prince Rupert	48	64
Edmonton	46	68
Dawson, Y.T.	36	74
Calgary, Alta.	52	62
Winnipeg, Man.	48	60
Portland, Ore.	50	82
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Port Arthur	48	64
Penticton	44	72
Nelson	44	68
Grand Forks	48	68
Cranbrook	44	68

TEMPERATURE

Highest	67
Lowest	44
Average	55
Minimum on grass	40

Rain, trace.

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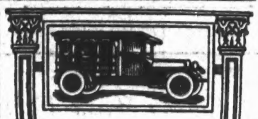
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The Altar of Sacrifice

Of the full meaning of dark and aggressive warfare, war waged most terribly for wrong's sake, the sages of the world's past have known little. To their ages, war brought neither the awful ravage nor the monumental evil that it is bringing or threatening to our generation. By the same token war never brought the full measure of the nobility of resistance to evil that has been revealed to the world in the stand of the pacific nations against the German monster of malefic aggression. No such altar of holy sacrifice was ever before reared in the history of the world as that upon which the blood of our American youth is being spilled today.—Boston Transcript.

ALLEGE TRADING WITH THE ENEMY

Returned Soldiers Charge Mr. J. H. Howthornthwaite, M.P.P., With Carrying on Business for Germans.

ACTED AS AGENT FOR VON ALVENSLEBEN

Will Ask Support of All Service Associations and Public to Take Matter Through the Courts.

After hearing reports from a special committee which had been investigating allegations that Mr. Jas. H. Hawthornthwaite, M.P.P. for Newcastle, had been doing business for Count Hans Bodo von Alvensleben since the outbreak of war under a power of attorney, a largely attended meeting of returned soldiers summoned by the Great War Veterans last night decided to carry the matter as far as possible through the courts.

If through that course they are unsuccesaful in getting a settlement satisfactory to them, they will endeavor to secure acceptable action in other ways which were not specified.

The information which was laid before the meeting will be sent to all the service organizations, and they will be asked to give their moral and financial support to the course which was adopted. They will be requested to appoint two members on a committee to take control of the proceedings, and the general public will be asked to aid with financial support.

Comrade Webb took the chair and said that the meeting had been called to consider what was believed to be a serious case of trading with the enemy. The Great War Veterans' Association had heard of the case and had appointed Comrades G. Heinekey and B. Gadsden to investigate. The report was of too general interest to be submitted to the G. W. V. A. alone, hence the calling together of an open meeting of returned soldiers and those interested in their welfare.

Comrade Gadsden then reported as follows:

"On July 28, 1914, six days before the declaration of war, Count Bodo von Alvensleben made a power of attorney to Mr. James H. Hawthornthwaite, of Victoria. This power of attorney was not registered until February 3, 1915. It is general and is revocable.

"On October 15, 1915, a bill of sale was registered in the Supreme Court Registry here, signed Hans Bodo von Alvensleben by James H. Hawthornthwaite, his attorney-in-fact. This bill of sale conveyed all Alvensleben's furniture, about 500 items, to 'Estelle Anita Ford for a consideration of $1,050.'

Ottawa is Informed

"On learning these facts on February 14, 1917, Mr. James Gadsden, of this city, wired the Minister of Justice at Ottawa. On February 15 he saw Col. Ridgway-Wilson at Work Point, and later made an official statement to two officers who were sent to his house by Col. Ridgway-Wilson. He later showed a representative of Col. Ridgway-Wilson where the furniture in question was stored, but no further action was taken by Col. Wilson or his officers.

"Mr. Gadsden's telegram to Ottawa resulted in a Mr. Reid, of Vancouver, being sent to this city to take an official statement, and as a result of that statement Mr. E. C. Newcombe, Deputy Minister of Justice at Ottawa, wrote him two letters which said in part as follows:

"The first letter dated April 18, 1917, said:

"'I have concluded that if it can be established that Bodo von Alvensleben was resident or carrying on business in the enemy country at the time when the bill of sale in question was given an offence was probably thereby committed. . . . I think you should therefore submit the facts for consideration by the Attorney-General of your province.'

"In the second letter, dated June 20, 1917, he wrote:

"'As the administration of justice is assigned exclusively to the provinces, you must therefore look to the Attorney-General of your province to assume responsibility as to whether the facts in his opinion warrant the institution of proceedings.'

"I may say that it has been decided by the Court of Appeal in England, upon facts which seem quite similar, that it was not trading with the enemy to sell a house of an alien enemy under an 'irrevocable' power of attorney given at a date when the alien was not an enemy. If the power of attorney to Hawthornthwaite be irrevocable, I am disposed to think that it may be a question of considerable doubt as to whether any sales effected by the attorney which you have described constitute trading with the enemy, but this is also a matter for determination by your Attorney-General in connection with his consideration of the facts.'

Local Officials Visited

"Deputy Attorney-General Johnson, being seen on the matter, said that he did not give a damn for instruments in writing, and that he would not prosecute, he knowing full well that the Federal authorities could do nothing until the Attorney-General here made the first move.

Members Could do Nothing

"This matter was laid before the member for Golden, B.C., and Mrs. Smith, but nothing came of it.

"It does seem to be a startling thing that a British subject should be allowed to hold a power of attorney for an alien enemy such as Alvensleben is believed to be, and that such an attorney should be allowed to act under such power during the war as has been done in this case."

The reading of this report was received with a stunned silence by the soldiers and ladies present, and it was not until Chairman Webb had asked several times as to what was the will of the meeting that Comrade W. Bevan moved that the report be accepted and the committee making it be supported to the full extent and influence of all present. In speaking to the motion Mr. Gerald Cross said: "It is amazing that the member for Newcastle should have been allowed to hold his seat in the provincial House when it was known to his fellow-members that he had been doing the pleasure of alien enemies." His words were greeted with rounds of applause, and the motion was carried unanimously.

Tag Day for Law Expenses

Comrade Frank Slavin suggested that the general public be appealed to for aid in pressing the matter. A first-class lawyer was a necessity and court fees would amount to quite a sum, and he felt sure that the people of Victoria would support financially the effort which would be made to look to the bottom of the case. Comrade J. J. Taylor, agreed, saying "It is a bit hard to expect soldiers to do their bit fighting in France, and then for them to have to come back home to fight such cases in the courts. If the facts you have heard tonight are printed in tomorrow's Colonist I venture to say that you will have money sent to you to fight from all in the city who have two dollars which they can clink together."

The general public will therefore be asked to contribute towards the expense, and it was suggested that application be made to the city for permission to hold a tag day if sufficient money does not come in from other sources.

More Cases Pending

The meeting then heard reports on certain timber licences, and coal lands in which enemy aliens are interested, and also on a number of Germans in the northern portion of the province who are making themselves objectionable while holding positions such as postmasters, Dominion constables and similar posts. Comrades Gadsden, Bevan and Haggerty were appointed a committee to make further inquiries and to get all relevant matter in shape on which action can be taken.



JIMMIE CRONK

The above is a picture of Jimmie Cronk, the hero of ten years who rescued his sister from drowning in Elk Lake and after his valiant feat slipped back into the water and was drowned. Jimmie was the son of Mr. James Cronk, a veteran of the Great War, and Mrs. Cronk.

WAR PROGRAMME IS ADHERED TO

Union Government Carried Out Pledges to People, Says Mr. R. F. Green, Member for West Kootenay Riding.

A strenuous session, or at least a busy one, in the course of which as much work of real importance to the country was transacted in the two months the House was in session as was ordinarily done in a session of much greater length in previous years, was how Mr. R. F. Green, federal member for the West Kootenay riding, summed up the recent session of the Federal Parliament. He returned to the city this week. Members on both sides of the House realized the emphatic manner in which Canada had spoken on the vital matters of the war and there was no evidence throughout the session of a desire on the part of any member to delay business or hamper the Government in its war programme.

Mr. Green, referring to shipbuilding, stated that a month ago the British Columbia members had a conference with Sir Joseph Flavelle, chairman of the Imperial Munitions Board, and he informed them that at that time the board was in a position to negotiate with the British Government to have more wooden ships built in British Columbia. The strike here was viewed as a deterrent factor, but, Mr. Green stated, he hoped to see still further ships built in Victoria, and, judging from what the chairman of the board said, there was a possibility that such would be the case. Sir Joseph gave the British Columbia members a very frank talk on what the Board is doing in the way of awarding contracts in this Province, contracts aggregating in value $52,000,000, and he stated that the Board was quite prepared to do anything it could towards letting further work in British Columbia. The board is in the market for all the spruce it can get, and had offered British Columbia liberal arrangements to produce, promising to take all the spruce that can be turned out.

Worked for B. C. Industry

Mr. Green testified to the good work done for Victoria and Vancouver Island by Dr. Tolmie, the city's member, and Mr. J. C. McIntosh, member for Nanaimo, but in his characteristic manner he was reluctant to speak of his own activities in behalf of British Columbia, especially in connection with the mining industry in his own and nearby ridings. But, as a matter energy and effective presentation of of fact, it was largely due to his the case that the Federal Government approved of the bounty of two cents per pound on zinc produced from Canadian ores, such bounty to prevail when the market price of spelter falls below nine cents. The Government agreed that such a bounty was necessary if the production of refined zinc in Canada was to be continued, as the only zinc produced here is by the electrolytic process, by which, up to the present, it has not been possible to produce at less than nine cents, and, although the electrolytic zinc is much purer than prime spelter, at the same time there is no market for it either in Canada or Great Britain at present, and the product has to be sold in competition with prime spelter produced much more cheaply by what is known as the Belgian or distillation process. It is hoped the bounty will keep the zinc industry alive in Canada and in the meantime such improvements in the electrylotic process will be made that in a short time the product will compete with zincs made by other processes.

In view of the fact that the bulk of the zinc ores produced in Canada come from the Kootenays the importance to British Columbia of the Government's action in approving of the bounty can be seen. If the bounty had not been given and the works at Trail had to close down, the effect in that section would have been very serious.

Mr. Thomson Makes Good

Of the work of Mr. H. B. Thomson, chairman of the Board of Food Control, Mr. Green spoke enthusiastically. A close personal friend of the food dictator of Canada, Mr. Green took special pleasure in testifying to the official's good work. He declared Mr. Thomson is making good, that he enjoys the confidence of the people, and his work, while naturally one that does not make for popularity, is being carried out in a spirit of fairness that is appreciated by all.

Mr. Green expressed the belief that the Government attitude throughout has been that no matter what a man's political affiliations may have been previous to his supporting the Union, now there is a solid party pledged to the one great object of prosecuting the war to the utmost, and party affiliations have been forgotten. It was quite true there had been demonstrated a spirit of independence at times in the party ranks, but it was a healthy spirit with nothing captious about it, and throughout the session all the important questions were dealt with in a business-like manner.

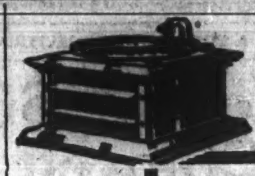
A tribute was also paid by Mr. Green to Sir Robert Borden, who, he stated, was a real leader and enjoyed the confidence of friend and opponent alike as he had never enjoyed it before. Under his leadership the Union Government, it had to be admitted by all, had certainly carried out its pre-election pledges on the great issues of conscription, abolition of patronage and woman's suffrage.

Pensions

As a member of the Special House Committee dealing with the pensions question Mr. Green stated it perhaps would be news to many that Canada is paying a higher rate of pensions to her men, other than officers, than is any country, not excepting the United States. The British scale of pensions for officers, he said, is somewhat higher than that of Canada. During the recent session the committee had many meetings. The question of equalizing the pensions of officers and men, was further considered and some members of the committee felt there was a good deal of justice in the claim for such equalization, but it was felt that the people of Canada had, so to speak, a contract to keep with those officers who had already gone to the front, and it was hoped the war would not last much longer and the present system would not, therefore, be perpetuated for any very considerable length of time, in which event a change now would make but little difference unless it were applied to those already gone, and to do that would be in the nature of a breach of faith. But there could be no question, Mr. Green said, that if it had to be done over again the difference in pension between men and officers would not exist. One important recommendation made to the House by the Pensions Committee was that a man be pensioned as of the rank or acting rank he had at the time of disability. In the past there have been cases where a man invalided home has subsequently been advanced in rank, and, when pensioned, got the allowance that goes with the higher rank. Now he will get the pension attached to the rank he held when his disability occurred.

The hope was expressed by the member for West Kootenay that British Columbia will be in a positon to take full advantage of the government's concessons in respect of iron and steel, a concession under which the Dominion will take for a term of years the product of iron or steel manufacturing plants at the prevailing market figure. Such a concession, he believed, will materially aid in the establishment of the industry in British Columbia.

Mr. Green leaves next week for the Kootenay riding, where he will visit the various centres and meet his constituents.



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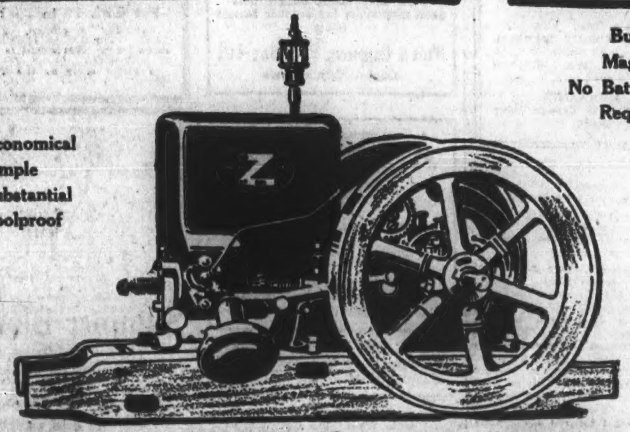
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FEMALE WORKERS ORGANIZE UNION

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A Gentleman Unafraid

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NO FRICTION, SAYS CARPENTERS' LEADER

That the employers are living up to their part in the shipyard agreement is the opinion of Mr. Alex. Watchman, organizer of the carpenters. He states that the men have accepted the provisions of the contract in a spirit of co-operation, and there is no indication of any friction. Mr. Watchman contends that reports of dissatisfaction among workers relative to the division of carpenters into foundry shipwright categories were lacking in foundation, and that in making such a division the employers were only carrying out the regulations agreed upon by both sides.

OBITUARY NOTICES

The funeral of Mr. Walter Shean took place yesterday from the Thomson Funeral chapel at 4 o'clock, Rev. Gilbert Cook officiating. The following acted as pallbearers: Mr. P. D. Goepel, Mr. S. Phipps, Captain Owen and Mr. McIntosh.

Nickel Coins for Argentine

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A big audience of soldiers was treated to a very delightful musical programme in the Y.M.C.A. hut on Friday evening, the entertainment being devised and arranged for by the Wesley Methodist Church Choir. Opening with a pianoforte solo by Mr. Oliver R. Stout, there was a long list of very nicely-rendered vocal solos, glees and recitations. Mrs. S. H. Brake's readings were among the special features of the recital, her first being "Jean Dupres," an "Habitant" poem, by Robert Service, and her second, "Carry On." As encores in both instances she gave patriotic readings. Mr. George Guy was another great favorite, his rendering of "Angus McDonald" and "Lassie o' Mine," being warmly applauded.

Other numbers on the programme were by Mrs. Rees, pianoforte solo; and the glee singers. "Strike the Lyre," "Softly Fall the Shades of Evening," "The Bells of St. Michael's Tower," were among the most-liked of their contributions, although the part-songs, "The Village Blacksmith," "Star of Descending Night," and, at the very last, "Slumber Song," were immensely enjoyed.

Newfoundland Paper Released

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 8.—The Daily Star is again publishing, after having been suppressed last Saturday under the authority of the war measures act on the charge of printing articles calculated to hamper the operation of the conscription act in Newfoundland. After the seizure of the plant by the authorities, the matter was taken to the Supreme Court and the paper released. H. M. Mosdell, the publisher, now declares that he will sue the Government for substantial damages because of the action of its executives.



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No doubt many would say that it was impossible for any device to automatically indicate the seat of trouble, but they said the same things of the aeroplane and the submarine, yet they're flying in the air and sailing under the sea.

The motorists of Victoria are singularly fortunate in having a garage progressive enough to appreciate the advantage of owning such an instrument and they should show their appreciation in a substantial way. The garage plans to charge a nominal fee for a test of the entire equipment of a car, which will probably indicate the beginning of some trouble that can be quickly corrected and save a big expense later. The instrument not only tells the location and kind of troubls but also how to repair it.

Mr. Hirst seems very much interested in showing the instrument to anyone, and it is fascinating to see it in action.

WEDDINGS

Pollard-Roy

A quiet wedding took place on Tuesday last at the home of the bride's parents, when Miss Etta Pollard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pollard, 1158 Pembroke Street, was married to Petty Officer George Thomas Roy, of H.M.C.S. Rainbow, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roy, of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Gibson Inkster in the presence of a number of friends of the young couple. At the conclusion of the ceremony a wedding breakfast was enjoyed by the wedding party and guests. Mr. and Mrs. Roy will make their home in Victoria.

Iverson-Johnston

On Thursday afternoon Miss Mary K. Iverson and Archibald Johnston, both of Tacoma, Wash., were married at "Breadalbane," the residence of Captain the Rev. Dr. Campbell, who performed the ceremony. They were unattended and left later in the afternoon for their future home in Tacoma.

Roe-Peck

Last Thursday afternoon at "Breadalbane," the residence of Captain the Rev. Dr. Campbell, who performed the ceremony, the marriage of Miss Jennie Blake Roe and August Peck, both of Victoria, was quietly celebrated. The bride, who was attended by Miss Elizabeth Price as bridesmaid, looked very charming in a smart gown of gray silk and the bridegroom was supported by Ralph Scott Henderson. After a brief honeymoon trip to the Sound cities, Mr. and Mrs. Peck will return to Victoria to make their home.

McLean-McDougal

The wedding took place yesterday of Mr. Hector D. McLean, of Regina, Sask., and Sarah, third daughter of the late Malcolm McDougal, of Liverton, Ont. The ceremony was held at the home of Mrs. Smith, Belmont Avenue, Rev. William Stevenson of Emmanuel Baptist Church, officiating. The bride wore a gown of pale blue silk trimmed with cream lace. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and fern. The bridesmaid was Miss Jean McGowan, who wore a charming blue silk dress and carried carnations. Mr. and Mrs. McDougal left last night for Vancouver en route to Regina where they will spend their honeymoon. The bride wore a tailored suit and travelling hat of old rose and grey trimmed with roses.

JITNEY DANCE TO BE POPULAR EVENT

Unique Entertainment at Gorge Park Will Assist Comrades of Great War to Furnish New Quarters.

Much interest is being shown by the public in the jitney dance to be held next Wednesday, June 12, at the Gorge Park, B. C. Electric division, for the benefit of the Comrades of the Great War, and speculation as to the nature of this unique entertainment is especially keen. It has been organized by a committee of energetic ladies who have undertaken to assist the Comrades in furnishing the attractive new club rooms placed at their disposal by Messrs. Richardson & Stephens, of the Fit-Rite Clothing Parlors, over whose store the new quarters are located. The dance will be in progress throughout the afternoon and evening and promises to be one of the most popular events of its kinds arranged for the Summer season.

Of particular interest to intending patrons is the announcement that the dance programme of popular numbers will be played by a famous Filipino band, at present quartered in this vicinity, the members of which are displaying keen interest in the event and the cause to which the entire proceeds will be devoted. It is due to the energetic work of the organizers that the expenses attending the affair are being kept down to a minimum amount, thereby ensuring a substantial sum for the Comrades to continue the work of furnishing their new rooms.

The entertainment has been arranged for Wednesday in the hope that large numbers of business people will take advantage of their weekly half-holiday to patronize the dance and its other side features. In anticipation of a large attendance, arrangements have been made for an augmented service on the street car lines to the park to accommodate patrons.

Arrangements for the event are now complete and its success depends on the interest of the public in the efforts of the Comrades and their friends to accomplish the work they have undertaken. The committee would be most grateful to a few owners of motor cars who would volunteer to assist in conveying the band, numbering approximately ten, to and from the scene of the festivities. Further information concerning this matter may be obtained by telephoning No. 5538Y or 4462L.

STRAWBERRY SEASON WILL SOON BE HERE

Picking Will Begin Two Weeks Ahead of Last Season—Many Teachers Patriotically Volunteer for Work.

One week or ten days will see all the strawberry pickers in the fields of Gordon Head and Keatings.

The strawberry crop is the first great crop of British Columbia. This year the fruit will be ripe two weeks ahead of last year. Present weather conditions point to the fact that the crop will not last longer than three weeks.

The response of the school teachers of the city and district to the plea for national service has been remarkably good. Unfortunately, their assistance in the strawberry fields can only be used as the crop is on the wane, and the demand will be small.

Many teachers registering at the Y. W.C.A. have expressed a desire to help harvest the fruit in the Okanagan. Unfortunately, the Okanagan crop is a late one. Many hundreds of fruit pickers will be needed for the picking and packing of apples, and the cannery work.

A small proportion of the girls who will be needed for the months of September, October and November will go to the Okanagan for the thinning of the fruit, the picking of crab apples, cherries, peaches and pears. It would be much more satisfactory to the picker and the growers if those who go that far can stay the entire season, and in any event be there for the bulk of the work, which is during the Autumn months.

The teachers who have registered for the work will therefore be of greatest benefit in the raspberry fields of the Mission and Hatzic districts. Many hundreds of pickers will go into that neighborhood the first week of July, and the picking of that fruit runs over a season of four to five weeks.

The teachers have been forming into groups of three or four, five or six, and planning to put in their picking in the raspberry fields, as that is the crop needing the greatest attention during the two holiday months.

QUEEN'S CONTEST NETS $2,000 FOR RED CROSS

Chief Feature of Victoria Day Carnival at Royal Athletic Park Augments Funds of Cause Considerably.

The committee appointed to conduct the Victoria Day Queen voting contest has reported that the contest closed on May 18 and resulted in an easy victory for Miss Evelyn Dutot, the nominee of the local branch of the Imperial Munitions Board, who was duly crowned on Victoria Day. As a result of the contest the committee was enabled to hand to the Red Cross Society a cheque for the sum of $1,958.36.

As some of the accounts in connection with the Red Cross Carnival, held on May 24 last, have not yet been received, it is impossible to publish a full statement, but the committee hope to be able to do so in a few days. Below will be found an audited statement in connection with Victoria's Most Popular Girl contest.

The receipts were: In nomination fees, $10; proceeds of sale of ballots, $1,996.59; bank interest, $1.94. Total, $2,008.53.

Disbursements—Printing and ballot boxes, $55; advertising, $24.40; Queen's float, $18.77; Victory bond, $51.30; sundry petty disbursements, 70c; cheque to Red Cross Society, $1,858.36.

Statement attested as correct by the honorary auditor, Mr. J. F. Errington.

The committee wishes to express their thanks to the candidates and their supporters, and to all others who assisted in making the contest a success, especial thanks being tendered to the following: Weiler Brothers, Ltd., for furniture loaned; David Spencer, Ltd., for furniture and artificial flowers loaned; J. E. Painter & Sons, for a motor truck for the Queen's float, and Mr. Painter, for driving the float; Colonist and Times, for publicity; Revercomb Motor Co., for storing float; Mr. J. F. Errington, for services as hon. auditor; the various Red Cross branches, for assistance at the general polling station; Victoria and Island Development Association, for use of premises on Government Street; and Messrs. McIntosh, Bickle, Rigby, Elliott, Upshall, Yeo and Knapton, students of Victoria High School, for assistance in counting votes.

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WASHINGTON, June 8.—General Pershing personally directed the fighting of American troops at Cantigny, from where the Germans were driven with a loss of 200 prisoners, members of the Senate military committee were told today at their weekly conference with War Department officials. The village was taken by the Americans May 28th, and all German attempts to recapture it have been in vain.

Is Allowed to Publish

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Mr. A. P. Pigeon, proprietor of The Bulletin, the French weekly paper suppressed by the Federal Government, on his return from Ottawa, reported that the suspension is for one week only. The siege of the plant was raised last night, Mr. Pigeon states.

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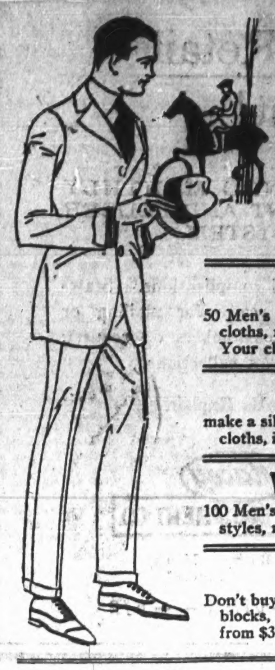
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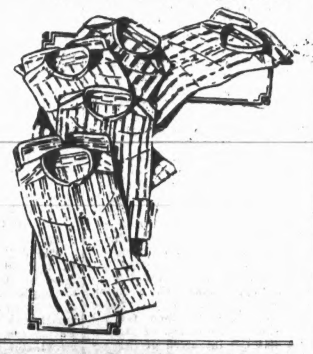
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RECORDS ARE BROKEN AT SCHOOL SPORTS

Some Fine Performances Seen at Annual Athletic Fixture of University School — Large Number of Spectators.

The annual athletic sports of the University School were held yesterday afternoon before a large number of parents and friends. The weather conditions proved ideal, although at times it threatened to rain. The races were well contested; two records were broken, whilst a third was equalled. The half-mile (open) was done by King ii in two minutes sixteen seconds, the previous record being two minutes twenty-one seconds. In the quarter-mile, under sixteen, Bonar made a new record, his time being 60 3-5 seconds. The mile was an excellent race and a very sporting one, and was won by Reid in five minutes forty seconds.

The ambulance contest, which was judged by Sergt.-Major Jones, resulted in two being bracketed equal. These two were given an extra "case" and Heggie i was proclaimed winner.

The senior champion for 1918 is Pelly i, with sixteen points. The runner up was King i, with fifteen points.

The junior champion is Dawson, with twelve points; runner up, Albert, with six points.

The swimming championship of the school was won by Matthews i, in a fifty yard dash recently held at the Gorge.

The gymnastic championship of the school for 1918 was won by Heggie i.

At the close of the proceedings Mrs. S. F. Tolmie kindly presented the prizes.

Dr. S. F. Tolmie, M.P., gave an excellent address.

Rev. W. W. Bolton thanked Dr. and Mrs. Tolmie for kindly presenting the prizes.

Pelly i, the head prefect, then called for three cheers for Dr. and Mrs. Tolmie.

The officials were: Starter, Sergt. Matheson; timekeeper, Mr. T. A. Tolson; judges, Mr. Alexis Martin, Rev. C. Swanson, Mr. J. Wenman and Sergt.-Major Jones.

Summary of Results

Open races, for senior championship —100 yards: 1, King i; 2, Pelly i; 3, Heggie i. Time, 11 sec. Record, 10 2-5 sec, Wyld, 1912. 220 yards: 1, King i; 2, Pelly i; 3, Heggie i. Time, 27 sec. Record, 24 4-5 sec., Wyld, 1912. 440 yards: 1, King i; 2, Pelly i; 3, Heggie i and Hall. Time, 61 sec. Record, 58 2-5 sec., Wyld, 1912. Half-mile: 1, King i; 2, Pelly i; 3, Hall. Time, 2 min. 16 sec. (A new record). Record, 2 min. 21 sec., Brown, 1908. One mile: 1, Reid i; 2, Pelly i; 3, Loughheed. Time, 5 min. 40 sec. Record, 5 min. 13 sec., McAnally, 1911.

High jump—1, Lennie ii; 2, Pelly ii; 3, Pelly i. Height, 4 ft. 9½ in. Record, 5 ft. 3⅝ in, Kilpatrick, 1914.

Broad jump—1, King i; 2, Pelly ii; 3, Reid i. Distance, 19 ft. 9½ in. Record, 20 ft. 6¾ in., Kilpatrick, 1915.

Throwing the cricket ball—1, Pelly i; 2, Shore; 3, Bonar. Distance, 90 yds., 5½ in. Record, 106 yds. 2 ft. 4 in., Dunn, 1917.

Under 16 events—100 yards: 1, Greatwood; 2, Heggie ii; 3, Bonar. Time, 12 sec. Record, 10 3-5 sec., Wyld, 1910. 220 yards: 1, Greatwood; 2, Bonar; 3, Heggie ii. Time, 29 1-5 sec. Record, 26 2-5 sec., Wyld, 1910. 440 yards: 1, Bonar; 2, Mathews ii; 3, Watson. Time, 60 2-5 sec. (A new record). Record, 61 sec., Hart, 1913. High jump—1, Pelly ii; 2, Heggie ii; 3, Burdick. Height, 4 ft. 7 in. Record, 5 ft., H. Winch, 1914. Broad jump: 1, Pelly ii; 2, French; 3, Wilson. Distance, 16 ft. 11 in. Record, 17 ft. 10 in., Hart, 1913.

Under 15 events—100 yards: 1, Burdick; 2, McNeill; 3, Kent. Time, 12 1-5 sec. Record, 11 2-5 sec., Helmcken, 1915. 220 yards: 1, Burdick; 2, McNeill i; 3, Kent i. Time, 29 4-5 sec. (Same as record). Record, 29½ sec., Downie, 1917.

Under 14 events, junior championship—100 yards: 1, Dawson; 2, Albert; 3, Scott. Time, 13 2-5 sec. Record, 12 1-5 sec., Marpole, 1917. 220 yards: 1, Dawson; 2, Genge; 3, McKay. Time, 32 sec. Record, 30 sec., C. Winch, 1909. 440 yards: 1, Dawson; 2, Albert; 3, McKay. Time, 67 1-5 sec. Record, 61 1-5 sec., Marpole, 1916. High jump: 1, Dawson; 2, Silby; 3, Albert. Height, 3 ft. 11 in. Record, 4 ft. 5 in., Marpole, 1917. Broad jump: 1, Scott; 2, McNeill ii; 3, Albert. Distance, 13 ft. 5½ in. Record, 16 ft. 5 in., Hedley, 1914.

Under 13 events—100 yards: 1, Albert; 2, Truman; 3, Halse ii. Time, 13 4-5 sec. Record, 13 1-5 sec., Marpole, 1916. 150 yards: 1, Albert; 2, Truman; 3, Silby. Time, 22 sec. Record, 21 4-5 sec., Hill i, 1917.

Under 12 events—100 yards: 1, Truman; 2, Wenman ii; 3, Nisbet. Time, 13 4-5 sec. Record, 13 sec., McDougall, 1912.

Under 10 events—75 yards: 1, Hanning; 2, Whittaker; 3, Hill ii. Time, 11 2-5 sec.

Miscellaneous events — Ambulance competition: 1, Heggie i; 2, Matthews ii; 3, Heggie ii. Scout relay: 1, Bears, Matthews i, McNeill i, Silby, Kent i; 2, Tigers; 3, Curlews. Obstacle race (seniors): 1, Lennie ii; 2, Greatwood; 3, Mathews i. Obstacle race (juniors): 1, McKay; 2, Hogg; 3, Hill i.

Senior champion, 1918, Pelly i.

Junior champion, 1918, Dawson.

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(Second Game)

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	4	1
Brooklyn	2	10	3

Harmon, Cooper, Sanders and Archer; Cadore, Grimes, Coombs and Miller.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	7	1
New York	8	10	0

Sperdell, Tuere and Gonsales; Perritt and McCarty.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	4	1
Boston	1	4	1

Toney and Wingo; Nehf and Wilson.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	6	8	0
Philadelphia	0	2	1

Tyler and Killifer; Hogg and Burns.

American

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	5	11	2
Detroit	3	5	4

Harper and Picinich; Kallio, Cunningham and Yelle, Spencer.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	7	1
Cleveland	3	5	0

Mays and Schang; Morton and Thomas.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
New York	4	10	0
St. Louis	3	6	0

Thormahlen and Hannah; Davenport and Hale.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	10	2
Chicago	2	6	2

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BELIEVES GAME TO BE PRECIOUS ASSET

Pennsylvania Game Commission Recognizes the Value of the Hunter Also—Work to Increase Game.

Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, is evidently a man with a proper appreciation of the value of game to any country. He also has a proper appreciation of the value of sportsmen to a country. In Pennsylvania they evidently tax the hunter, but they use the money they take from him in the form of payments for licences to improve and conserve the game stock. Here is the doctor's statement:

"I believe I have the unqualified endorsement of every member of the Game Commission of Pennsylvania in the declaration that we are protecting and trying to increase game—both animals and birds—so that they may be killed by sportsmen, to the greatest number possible, considering the future of the species, and not simply to be looked at or photographed.

"To secure an increase in game we believe that the future of many kinds of game in Pennsylvania or any other State depends upon the enactment of drastic laws, because we are in touch with existing conditions, and know the need of immediate energetic action if our game birds are to be perpetuated, much less increased.

"We realise the many and varied benefits that come through hunting, and are doing our best to advance the interest of sportsmen we represent. We hold that hunting is a national necessity, not simply recreation or a waste of time. We believe that the presence of game in any State according to its quantity and variety is an asset greatly to be prized.

Hunter a Good Citizen

"The presence of game is an incentive to outdoor exercise that means better health, and therefore better citizenship for many. The man who hunts acquires a knowledge of territory covered, of the flora, of the fauna, of the waters, of the minerals, of the general topography and of the people, that can be acquired to the same extent in no other way.

"We further believe that the ability of the hunter to traverse the woods, the fields, or the waters either by day or by night, to camp and to shoot straight, make him with limited discipline and drill the equal of any regular on the face of the earth.

"Furthermore, not only does the quantity of game taken constitute a very considerable portion of the meat supply in various homes, but the value of the lifework of birds protected continuously is an aid to the farmer and the fruit grower that makes the profitable growing of his crops possible.

Sportsmen Pay the Bills

"In Pennsylvania every cent used for the protection of game and wild birds, for the payment of bounties, for the purchase and releasing of game for propagating purposes, for the creation of game sanctuaries, for the feeding of game during the Winter time, as well as for all other needs of the Game Commission, comes from sportsmen through the resident hunters' licence.

"Even the farmer, who derives the most benefit from the work of birds, does not contribute one cent to their benefit unless he goes hunting on lands other than the lands he resides upon and cultivates or lands adjacent, for our law permits a farmer and his family to hunt on these lands without a licence.

"We know what sportsmen are doing, and in turn we are striving to do all in our power to benefit these men through the increase of game to be killed. Just how we can best secure that increase is the question."

BASEBALL AVERAGES

CHICAGO, June 8.—"Babe" Ruth, the Boston pitcher, signalised his return to the game by driving out four home runs in four days. He failed to get any other hits and consequently his average dropped off, but he still leads the league with .371. He has a record of seven home runs since the start of the season.

Sisler, of St. Louis, continues to show the way to the base-stealers with 20, and McInnis, of Boston, and Shean, his team-mate, remain for sacrifice hitting with 16. Chapman, of Cleveland, leads in scoring, having crossed the plate thirty times. St. Louis leads in team batting with .274.

The leading batters for 15 or more games are: Ruth, Boston, .371; Walker, Philadelphia, .367; Baker, New York, .359; Burns, Philadelphia, .344; Sisler, St. Louis, .340; Eddie Collins, Chicago, .337; Hooper, Boston, .327; Tobin, St. Louis, .322; Gandil, Chicago, .320; McMullen, Chicago, .312; Falsch, Chicago, .305.

Cracking out a dozen hits in six games boosted Fred Merkle, the Chicago first baseman, from fifth to second place in the list of National League hitters. He is batting .376, which is 26 points above his average a week ago. Larry Doyle, because of his continued absence from the game, remains at the top with .426. The averages included games of Wednesday.

Carey, of Pittsburg, who is leading the base-stealers, has 20 thefts to his credit. Rousch, of Cincinnati, has taken the leading sacrifice hitting with 14. Wyckham of Boston and Cruise of St. Louis, top the home run hitters with three each. Benny Kauff, of New York, is leading in scoring, having registered 32 in forty games. Chicago drove New York out of first place in team hitting with .282.

The leading batters for 15 or more games: Doyle, New York, .426; Merkle, Chicago, .376; Smith, Boston, .370; Wyckland Boston, .348; Daubert, Brooklyn, .343; Kauff, New York, .341; Mann, Chicago, .321; Hollocher, Chicago, .320; Lee Magee, Cincinnati, .320.

BELGIAN SOCCER TEAM CHALLENGES YANKEES

WASHINGTON, June 5.—There is much interest being shown in the action of the Belgian soccer team recently. A team of eleven husky sons of King Albert of Belgium has challenged any soccer football team in the United States to a test of prowess.

Walter Camp, chairman of the athletic department of the navy commission on training camp activities, has received such a challenge from Lieut. Gaston Hubin, of the Belgian army. Lieut. Hubin is captain of the Belgian soccer team, and in his challenge he expresses a willingness to have his heroes meet any team in the United States. He is willing to play in the large cities of this country and the various army and navy camps, and is particularly anxious that the proceeds of the matches be devoted to war relief.

Everyone knows of the soldiers of King Albert knows what dribbling the ball means. They have all "rushed the line" and have carried the ball clear down the "field" and shot it through the enemy's "goal posts." So the Yankee team that imagines when it takes up the challenge that winning the game is going to be a "lead-pipe cinch" has better watch their step.

Garrison Beat Five C's

The friendly game played on the Jubilee Hospital grounds yesterday between the Five C's and the Garrison ended in a victory for the Garrison by 39 runs on the first innings.

Five C's Win First

The first game in the junior cricket league was played yesterday morning between the Five C's Juniors and the Collegiate School, and resulted in the success of the former by 84 to 38. Macey made 40 and Quainton 22.

H. P. WHITNEY'S COLT WINS CLASSIC RACE

NEW YORK, June 8.—Harry Payne Whitney's imported chestnut colt Johron, by Spearmint-Mineola, won the Suburban Handicap at one mile and a quarter over the Belmont Park race course today. He is the fourth three-year-old to be returned winner of this turf classic.

A. K. MacComber's Hollister finished second and P. A. Clark's filly, Battle, was third. The favorite, Cudgel, carrying the top weight of 133 pounds, was fourth, with Hendrie fifth, and Spur, the second choice, the last of the field of six starters.

RALPH DE PALMA IS NOW CALLED WINNER

NEW YORK, June 5.—Top honors in the 100-mile Harkness handicap automobile race at Sheepshead Bay Speedway Saturday was won by Ralph de Palma and not Tom Milton, as at first announced, according to a revised report given out yesterday by the American Automobile Association.

De Palma, who had been placed fourth, immediately entered a vigorous protest after the race.

Later the figures of the scores were revised and de Palma's claims verified as follows:

De Palma, first, 58.31; Tom Milton, second, 58.31; Oldfield, third, 59.20; Eddie eHarne, fourth, 60.52; Dan Hickey, fifth, 61.40; Ira Vail, sixth, 61.41; Omar Toft, seventh; 63.23; Louis Chevrolet, eighth, 63.48.

Albions Beat Victoria

A very even game was played at Beacon Hill between the Albions and Victoria, Victoria making a very sporting attempt to pull the game out of the fire after they were five runs behind on the first innings, eventually losing by four wickets after they had declared their second innings closed for the loss of 8 wickets.

Virtue Cup Cricket

Willows Camp, Congos and Albion were the winners in yesterday's Virtue Cup cricket.

At Work Point the Incogs fielded an incomplete team, and, with only seven batsmen, were defeated by the Willows Camp by 20 runs. The Willows men displayed some fine fielding and good batting was shown by Woods, Clowes, Wilkinson and Sharp. York played a fine not out innings for the Incogs, and, with Allen and Ackroyd, did all the scoring, while Sparks had all the honors among the bowlers.

Congos Win Easily

The Congos added to their points very easily yesterday at the expense of the District Depot, winning by an innings and 106 runs. Speak evidently did not find the eclipse interfere at all with his batting eye.

POWERS ALSO COMING

TORONTO, June 8.—Eddie Powers, formerly captain of the Toronto Lacrosse Club, and well-known coach, leaves here soon for the coast to play in the lacross league being promoted by Con Jones, the Western sportsman. Powers is considered one of the best defence fielders in the game.

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(Second Game)

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St. Louis	4	11	2
New York	2	10	3

Doak and Snyder; Sallee and Rariden, McCarty.

Coast

At Salt Lake—	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	5	10	2
Salt Lake	7	12	2

Baum, Seaton and McKee; McCabe and Konnick, Dunn.

At San Francisco—	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	6	12	3
San Francisco	1	5	4

Fittery and Lapan; Kremer and Mitze.

At Los Angeles—	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	3	7	3
Vernon	4	11	0

West and Easterly; Reiger and Moore.

P. C. L.

At Aberdeen—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	3	5	2
Aberdeen	4	6	2

Leroy and Downey; Camozzi and Roland.

At Vancouver—	R.	H.	E.
Portland	6	7	3
Vancouver	2	7	1

Mordon and Peterson; Slattery and McNulty.

SWIMMERS START TOUR BY BREAKING RECORDS

OAKLAND, Cal., June 8.—Two world's records for swimming events were broken today at Alameda Beach, when Clarence Lane completed a 25-yards dash in ten and two-fifths seconds, cutting one-fifth of a second from the former record established by John Cunha, and Frank Norris made 100 yards, free style, in fifty-five and three-fifths seconds. This was one second less than the former record held by Norman Ross.

Duke Kahanamoku was second in the 100-yard race.

Harold Kruger won the 10-yard dash in 1:10 3-5. Kruger made the first fifty yards in 30 4-5. His time for 75 yards was 50 2-5, which was a new Pacific Coast record for that distance.

LACROSSE POSTPONED

VANCOUVER, June 8.—The lacrosse match between Vancouver and New Westminster, which was to have taken place today at Brockton Point, has been postponed until next Sunday, owing to bad weather.

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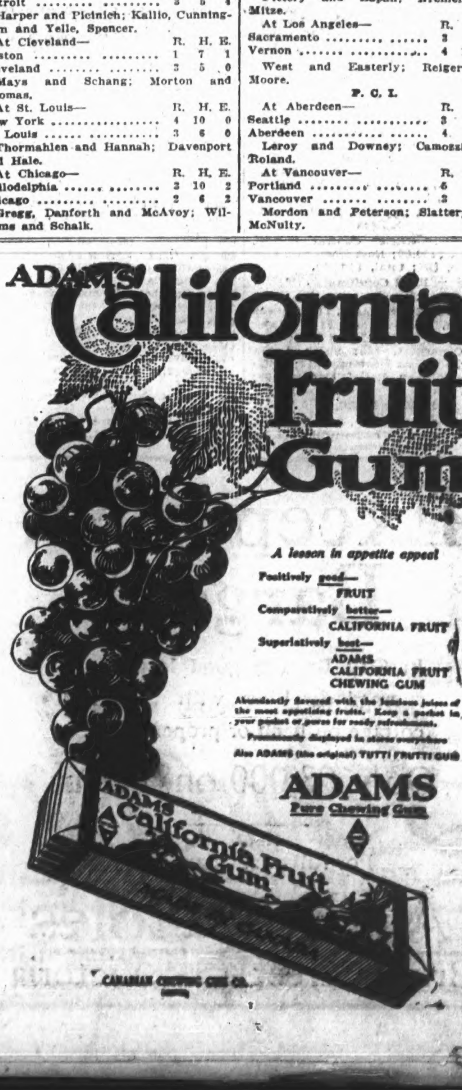
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Patriotic War Work

What Women Are Doing

Social and Personal

Provincial Chapter Receipts $18,552

Daughters of Empire in British Columbia Gave $10,509 in Contributions to War Relief Funds During Year Ending March 31—Treasurer's Report Submitted.

At the recent annual meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., at Vancouver, the report of receipts and expenditure for the year ending March 31, 1918, submitted by the treasurer, Mrs. Dennis Cox, showed the total receipts to have been $18,552.46. The account, which includes a list of the donations made by the Daughters of the Empire throughout the Province, reads:

Treasurer's Report

"Summary of receipts and disbursements from 19th April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918.

"Receipts—To cash in hand 19th April, 1917, $358.87; fees, $1,939.85; donations, $10,703.27; supplies, $5,-531.73; sundries (contra), $16; suspense, $3.74; total, $18,552.46. Disbursements—By expenses, $524.61; fees, $1,080.75; donations, $10,509.79; supplies, $4,690.66; sundries (contra), $16; transfer to savings bank account, $275; cash in bank, $1,256.33; cash in hand, $67.94; sundry cheques (since deposited), $131.38. Total, $199.32.

Attested by Auditor

"I have examined the books and vouchers of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., for the period 19th April, 1917—31st March, 1918, and certify that in my opinion the above represents a true statement of the receipts and disbursements of the chapter for such period, as shown by the books. (Signed) Albert F. Griffiths, Chartered Accountant, Hon. Auditor, Victoria, B.C., April 12, 1918.

"The following special appeals were responded to through the provincial treasurer by the chapters in British Columbia from April, 1917, to April, 1918:

Prisoners of War

"Chapters—East Kootenay (bread, adoption and tobacco fund), $350; Queen Boadicea, $100; Ganges, $49.95; Colonies, $5; Ladysmith, $54; 102nd Regina Trench, $30; Municipal Chapter of Chilliwack and Primaries, $550; Mrs. Bell (Fairfield Island), $3; Mrs. Graham, $1; total $1,181.95.

Canadian Red Cross

"Chapters—Kokanee (upkeep of bed in Duchess of Connaught's hospital, $25; Allies (for ambulance), $50; Colonies, $40; Queen Boadicea, $428; Lady Franklin, $27; Ganges, $28.20; East Kootenay, $34.95; 102nd Regina Trench, $25; Sister Agnes Keyser (for comfort bags), $60; Nimpkish (for kit bags), $40; per Municipal (New Westminster), $6; per Municipal (Chilliwack), $25.90; per Municipal (Chilliwack), for field hospital), $20; Mrs. Outhout, $25; Vimy Ridge Tribute (East Kootenay), $15; total, $846.35.

British Red Cross

"Per Municipal Chapter (Chilliwack), $50; East Kootenay (Waldo), $62; Ganges, $87.30; Allies, $25; Lady Franklin, $83.50; Mt. Fernie (Our Day collection), $632.50; total, $940.30.

French Red Cross—Per Municipal Chapter (New Westminster), $26.

Navy League of Canada

"Chapters—102nd Regina Trench, $20; Anzac, $10; Kuskanook, $25; Allies (widows and orphanas), $10; East Kootenay, $15; Ganges, $5; Grand Forks, $58.90; Donald Hankey, $58.25; Colonies (per W. A. Coles), $35; per Municipal Chapter, Victoria, (tag day), $1,364.52; per Municipal Chapter, Chilliwack (tag day), $150; per Municipal Chapter, Chilliwack (Lady Jellicoe Fund), $20; total, $1,761.67.

British Sailors Relief and Comforts

(Now almalgamated with Navy League). Chapters—Helen St. Clair Stbart, $5; Grand Forks, $15; Ladysmith, $25; Sister Agnes Keyser, $25; Navy League, $20; per Municipal, Chilliwack, $35; Mr. B. M. Godsal, $20; total, $140.

Widows and Orphans, Soldiers and Sailors

"Chapters—Girls' Central School, Victoria, $129.50; East Kootenay, $10; Nechaco, $25; total, $164.50.

Field Comforts

"Chapters — Chilliwack Municipal, $25; Allies, $50; Kokanee, $100; Queen Boadicea, $190; Anzac, $10; Major Rigby, $30; Queen Mary (people of Port Clements), $33; Sister Agnes Keyser, $9; East Kootenay, $10; ladies of Anyox War Relief Fund, $100; total, $582.40.

Military Y.M.C.A.

"Chapters—Kokanee, $50; Helen St. Clair Stobart, $25; Ladysmith, $112.50; Queen Boadicea, $75; East Kootenay, $40; Sister Agnes Keyser, $70; Elk Canyon, $10; Anzac, $30; Ganges, $50; Lady Franklin, $34.80; Colonies, $10; Municipal Chapter of New Westminster and Primaries, $55; Municipal Chapter of Chilliwack and Primaries, $149; total, $711.30.

Canadian War Contingent Association

"Per Municipal and Primaries, Chilliwack, $253.60; per Mrs. Henshaw (Port Coquitlam), $16.25; Orpheum Theatre, Vancouver, $153.99; and four ton of jam; total, $423.84.

Military Convalescent Hospitals

"Chapters—Mesaines Ridge (Revelstoke Juveniles for invalid chair), $50; Messines Ridge (Christmas fund), $29; Admiral Sir Robert Arbuthnot, $14; Ganges, $5; Municipal, Chilliwack (Returned Soldiers Fund), $200; Municipal, Chilliwack (Military Hospital, New Westminster, two beds), $100; total, $398.

Belgian Relief

"Chapters — East Kootenay (and children of Baynes and Waldo), $36.50; Chilliwack Municipal, $121.05; Mrs. Beck Alberni (for Belgian children), $21; total, $178.55. Syrian Relief—Chilliwack Municipal Chapter, $25.

St. Dunstan's Home for Blind

"Chapters—Helen St. Clair Stobart, $25; Grand Forks, $25; Queen Boadicea, $50; East Kootenay, $10; Ganges, $60; 102nd Regina Trench and school children of Courtenay, $32; New Westminster Municipal Chapter and Primaries, $40; Chilliwack Municipal Chapter and Primaries, $58.47; total, $300.47. National Institute for Blind —Chapters Queen Boadicea, $50; Willows Camp, $50; Chilliwack Municipal, $10; total, $110. Institute for the Blind, Halifax—Chilliwack Municipal, $150.

Educational Work

Libraries—New Westminster Municipal (Colonel Moody), $10; Primary Chapters, Vancouver (per Miss Gordon, educational secretary), Columbia Chapter, $10; Dufferin Chapter, $10; Triple Entente, $10; Connaught, $10; Burrard, $10; Rainbow, $10. Pictures —Dufferin Chapter, $5; Coronation Chapter, $2.50; Ruskin Chapter, $5; Georgia Chapter, $3; Connaught Chapter, $2. School Library (per Mrs. Neroutsos), $10; Travelling Gallery, (per Mrs. Neroutsos), $18.25. The Allies' Chapter has bought a complete library, $10; total $115.75.

Allies' Agricultural Relief

"102nd Regina Trench, $5. Maple Leaf Club — Chilliwack Municipal Chapter, $115. Memorial Fund (in the savings bank)—Lady Franklin Chapter, $5; Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. Stevens, Chilliwack, $7; Mrs. Henry Croft, $75; total, $87. To National Chapter from Anzac Chapter, $10. Jam Fund—Grand Forks, $25; Queen Mary (for sugar), $39.50; total $64.50. Alexandra Rose Day—Percentage to Crippleage, London, England, $74.72.

Additional Contributions

"The following special appeals are uncompleted at date of audit (March 30, 1918). The Chapters are thanked for the splendid response accorded.

Halifax Relief Fund

"Chapters and Individuals—Genzales (Victoria), $50; Bastion (Nanaimo), $150; "Hill 60" (Prince Rupert), $100; Lady Franklyn (Salt Spring Island), $20; Margaret Rocke Robertson (Victoria), $10; Major Mutrie (Vernon), $20; Chilliwack Municipal, $50; Nechaco, $25; 102nd Regina Trench (Courtenay), $50; school children of Courtenay, $12; Mrs. Christie (Courtenay), $3; Comox Ladies, (per Regina Trench), $4.50; Grand Forks (Grand Forks), $25; Allies (Sidney), $15; Sister Agnes Keyser (Chemainus), $24; Light Infantry (South Wellington), $50; Lady Douglas (Victoria), $50; East Kootenay (Waldo and Baynes), $352.45; Anzac, $50; Edwin Eastman, $15; Messines Ridge (Revelstoke), $41.12; Ganges (Salt Spring Island), $30; Ladysmith (Ladysmith), $35; Camosun (Victoria), $25; Esquimalt, $50; Helen St. Clair Stobart (Kamloops), $50; Kokanee (Nelson), $25; Malespina (Nanaimo), $15; Campbell-Collins (East Burnaby), $8.25; Georgia (Vancouver), $50; Triple Entente (Vancouver), $25; Admiral Jellicoe (Vancouver), $25; Dufferin (Vancouver), $10; Coronation (Vancouver), $25; Strathearn (Vancouver), $40; Flanders (Vancouver), $25; Florence Nightingale(Vancouver), $25; Thomas Talbot (Rossland), $25; Kuskanook (Cranbrook), $108; Donald McLean, $10; Queen Boadicea (Atlin), $25; total, $1,798.32.

Canadian Nurses' Residential Club

"Chapters—Margaret Rocke Robertson (Victoria), $25; Bastion (Nanaimo), $125; Ladysmith, $34; Light Infantry (South Wellington), $15; Allies (Sidney), $10; Donald Hankey (Grand Forks), $32; Thomas Talbot (Rossland), $50; Kokanee (Nelson), $75; 102nd Regina Trench (Courtenay), $110; Florence Nightingale (Victoria), $25; total, $504.

ESQUIMALT CHILDREN TO HOLD GARDEN FETE

Elaborate Preparations Under Way for Attractive Entertainment Next Saturday—For Red Cross.

Next Saturday afternoon, June 15, from 3 to 6 o'clock in the Transfer field adjoining the school, a garden fete will be held by the Esquimalt School. Preparations are being made to entertain all comers and the entertainment features include a concert by the school, open air dancing, shooting gallery, refreshments, etc. A special feature is being made of the popular baby competition—the winning baby must be under three years of age and a resident of Esquimalt. The entry fee is ten cents and the ballots are five cents each which may be bought on the field or during the coming week by applying at the Esquimalt School.

The school is very grateful to Mrs. Whittier for her kind permission to use the Transfer field and also to the following business firms and friends of the school for substantial donations of money and prizes for the various events: W. Angus, hardware and drygoods; Brown & Co., druggists; Brown's Nurseries, Nielson's Confectionery, Gibson, shoemaker; W. Flockhart, Western Supply, Holt, grocer; Miss Phillips, dry goods; A. Young, Esquimalt Meat Market; Lock & Sons, butchers; G. E. Hodgson, news agent; W. S. Derry, Burleith Grocery; J. B. Stuart, barber; Mrs. F. Moss, Bellevue Cafe; E. Ord, barber; Newell M. Spratt, dry goods; Phillip D. Johnson, Thoburn Grocery and Messrs. Triman, S. Pomeroy, Slater, Day, W. Wilson, Solandt, Leigh and Yarrow. The entire proceeds of the fete are to be given to the Esquimalt Red Cross.

W.C.T.U. CONVENES HERE THIS WEEK

Pioneer Women's Organization of Province Holds Thirty-Fifth Annual Meeting From Tuesday to Friday.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union—the first women's organization organized in British Columbia for work of a public nature—will convene in this city on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of this week, this being the thirty-fifth annual meeting. This is a record of which the society may well be proud.

For many years the only women's organization in the field, the W.C.T.U. pioneered in various lines of work for the public good for which today special organizations have arisen. It is probably not now generally known that the Young Men's Christian Association of Victoria had its origin in what thirty-five years ago was known as The Young People's Christian Temperence Union. Into this branch of the W.C.T.U. were gathered the young people of the churches in the days before the church movement for the young people was inaugurated, and with a view to giving larger scope to the energies of the young men, the organization of a branch of the Y.M.C.A. for Victoria was for the first time considered.

All meetings of the convention will be held in the First Congregational Church, which has been kindly placed at the disposal of the society. Two meeting will be held each day, opening at 9:30 in the morning and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Luncheon is being arranged for by the ladies of the various churches. At Tuesday's luncheon greetings will be tendered the convention by Mayor Todd on behalf of the city, by representation of the Ministerial Association, the Social Service Council, and by the various women's societies of the city.

Mrs. Irene Moody, chairman of the Vancouver Board of School Trustees, and Capt. Pearson, of the Military Y.M.C.A., will be the convention speakers. The annual address of the president, Mrs. C. Spofford, of this city, will be given on Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday's afternoon meeting will be of special interest. Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman, of Duncan, will speak on "The Status of Woman, Past and Present," and Mrs. H. Rogers, of this city, will present the important subject, "Canadianizing the Foreign-Born Women and Children." A demonstration of some departments of W.C.T.U. work will be given the same afternoon. Thursday afternoon, "A Round Table Conference" will be conducted by Mrs. J. A. Gillespie, of Vancouver, and Thursday evening the closing session will be devoted to the young people, when a grand gold medal contest will be held. Four contestants, each the winner of the gold medal for oratory, will compete for the bigger award. All meetings will be open to the public.



NEXT-OF-KIN PLAN HOME FOR SOLDIERS

Wives and Relatives of Soldiers and Sailors to Establish Practical Memorial to Fallen Heroes.

The Great War Next-of-Kin Association, as its name implies, consists of the mothers, widows, wives, sisters or daughters of the men of H. M. Naval and Military Forces who have been and are now on active service at sea or at the front in the great war of 1914. It was organized here and in other parts of Canada for the purpose of protecting and promoting the interests of our men who are serving, of those who have returned to us honorably discharged or as members of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, of their families and dependents, for mutual help and benefit, for educational purposes and for social intercourse.

All these objects it has faithfully endeavored to carry out. A grant of $5 per month is made towards the work of the Y. M. C. A. at the Willows Camp and during the epidemic of measles which broke out among the men both there and at the dockyard games, magazines, cards and smokes were provided for their amusement. A prisoner of war is being cared for; entertainments have been given to both sailors and soldiers and many individual cases have been helped in illness and need, while quite recently a committee to help in Red Cross work was appointed.

Owing to the many appeals which have been made by homeless returned soldiers and those interested on their behalf for some place where they could get "a bed and a meal" at a moderate charge and feel "at home," the Next-of-Kin decided to undertake to provide such a home as a practical memorial to those whose names are inscribed for all time on the Empire's Roll of Honor.

It was not the intention of the association to erect a home, but rather to utilize one of the available buildings in the city which might with comparatively little outlay be adapted for the purpose, nor would the Home be opened until sufficient funds were in hand to finance the undertaking for a year altogether apart from any income accruing through the occupation of rooms and serving of meals, as by that time the association would be in a position to determine whether the necessity for the Home is as great as represented.

Owing to the splendid financial success of the recent carnival, the association feels justified in acting without further delay, and is now making an appeal to interested friends to assist with the simple furnishing of the bedrooms. It has been suggested that the names of those in whose memory each room is furnished be recorded on the door, the donors to have the privilege of furnishing, according to individual taste, providing a bed and bedding, a small bureau, a chair and table, curtains and covers in each case.

There is little doubt that with the ever-increasing number of soldiers returning to our city, the home will be well patronized and that larger premises than those now offered will have to be s ured before very long.

The association hopes to make it a place which will fill every requirement of the "boys" and be "a home away from home in every sense," and while it will be necessary to agree upon certain regulations and restrictions in order to maintain and secure the comfort and harmony of all, the greatest possible freedom and latitude will be allowed to individuals compatible with the general arrangements.

All "Next-of-Kin," whether or not they are members of the association, and all those who have at heart the welfare of the returning men, many of them without a home, are asked to assist in this work. Any information will gladly be supplied by Mrs. R. L. Day, president, or any officer or member of the association.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. E. Huggett and her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Cornick, have arrived here from Buxton, England, where they have been residing for the past two years and a half. They are the guests of Mrs. W. Stevenson, 1728 Bank St. They state that everyone in the Old Country is busy gardening and vegetables are plentiful. Mrs. Huggett and Mrs. Cornick came over the Atlantic on a Cunard liner in four days, and while travelling through the danger zone they were accompanied by seven destroyers.

Mrs. Temple Blackwood and Mrs. Howard Meakin, who have been guests at the Empress Hotel during the past week, have left for Duncan.

Mrs. Kingsley Bramall, of Vancouver, has arrived in the city to spend the Summer months and is the guest of Mrs. Robert H. MacDonald, Chamberlain Street. Mrs. Bramall is in England.

Mrs. E. J. Williams and family, of Calgary, have arrived in the city to spend the Summer.

At the first regular meeting of Herbert Beaumont Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E., held last Friday evening, a number of new members were received into the chapter, which elected Mrs. Beaumont Boggs, mother of the late Lieut. Herbert Beaumont Boggs, honorary regent. This ambitious chapter is planning a number of entertainments for the near future in an endeavor to raise funds for carrying on its patriotic work. The first of these will be a silver tea to be held next Saturday at the home of Mrs. Boggs, 1133 Catherine Street, the Gorge.

Miss Stella Gesse who has been visiting for the past six weeks in Salt Lake City, Utah, returned yesterday to Victoria. At Salt Lake City she was the guest of Mrs. Laurence Crockwell, formerly Miss May Patch, of this city.

The Variety concert in aid of the Hollywood Red Cross held last Friday night in the Margaret Jenkins School was a great success and reflected much credit on those who took part in the entertainment. All the girls attend the Sir James Douglas School and are under the age of 14 years. Mrs. W. Hooper accompanied at the piano, and Mrs. Grant directed the girls. Much praise is due Miss Jessie Grant, who has arranged several other entertainments. The following girls assisted her: Misses Mary and Marjory Winn, Peggy Pitchburn, Mildred Smith, Margaret McMillen, Madge Corrance, Lorna Jones, Pearl Heather, Emma and Grace Bousston, Margaret Mellor, Winnie Hogg, Maryilla Carr, Margaret Bumbery and Winnie Marcone.

RED CROSS WORK

Hollywood Branch

The treasurer, D. A. McNaughton, has submitted the following report covering the month of May:

May 1, balance Bank of Montreal, $21.39; cash on hand, 94c; life memberships—Mrs. E. B. Hutchison, $25; payments on account, $17; annual memberships—H. Horne and W. G. Murray, $4; associate membership—Mrs. M. Dennison, $1.

Donations—Mrs. R. Fowler, $5; Mrs. W. Walters, $2; Victoria Chemical Company, Limited, $50; monthly collections—Mrs. C. H. Gibbs, $3; Hollywood Presbyterian Sunday School, $3.74; receipts from Hinton Building War Trophy Exhibit, $543.38; dance, Margaret Jenkins School, $21.75; Percy Watson, sale baseball equipment, $8.50; proceeds, lecture on Astrology by Mrs. Chappell, $6; sale of posters at exhibit, $1.50; sale of Dahlia Bulbs, donated by Mrs. Mitchell, $2; total, $716.15.

The following work was turned in to headquarters during the month: 96 pairs socks, 9 pairs machine-made socks, 30 suits pajamas, 48 shirts, 66 abdominal bandages, 18 chest bandages, 6 T bandages, 2 sleeveless sweaters, and 1 stretcher cap.

TILLICUM INSTITUTE PLANS FLOWER SHOW

Members of Women's Institute Discuss Arrangements for Annual Event at Tillicum School.

The Tillicum Women's Institute met in the school on Wednesday afternoon to discuss further plans for the annual flower show to be held June 29. Although the attendance was small, the interest was keen. Mr. Partington, head gardener at the Provincial Government grounds, reviewed the proposed programme, suggesting alterations and additions. Taking up in detail the flower, fruit and vegetable entries, he gave much helpful information, dwelling especially upon the rose exhibit. After this was concluded, the members asked if information on the cultivation and general care of roses would be out of place. Upon the assurance that all members would enjoy such a talk, Mr. Partington very kindly read, with numerous side notes, an article of his own from the Agricultural Journal. That this was very much appreciated was shown by the questions continually asked.

It is expected that all arrangements will ve completed on June 19, when the Institute will meet for this purpose in Mrs. Darbyshire's room at 2:30 o'clock. With the assistance of the teachers, Messrs. Campbell and Hallwright, who have consented to take charge of the exhibits in manual training and garden exhibits, the committee in charge feel confident of an excellent school exhibit, which will be one of the principal features of the exhibition.

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS

St. James

Mr. W. H. Robertson, Mr. J. McIntosh, Mr. H. C. King, Mr. G. L. Morris, Mr. C. Langley, Vancouver; Mr. James Smith, Seattle; Mr. Thos. Jackson, Tacoma.

Westholme

Mr. C. W. Buckner, Westholme; Mr. L. Waters, Mr. J. Plester, Mr. O. S. Lisle, Mr. J. S. McDowell, New Westminster; Mr. Peterson, Bellingham; Miss Lola Hanson, Seattle; Mr. G. M. Johnson, Bellingham.

Metropolis

Mr. Wm. Moner, Mr. T. J. Job, Mr. L. Crookshanks, James Island; Mr. and Mrs. H. Day, Vancouver; Mr. Wm. Morris, James Island; Mr. B. Pike, Vancouver.

King Edward

Mr. T. Cameron, Cobble Hill; Mr. F. Jones, Duncan; Miss A. McLeod, Sooke; Mr. Victor Vigelius, East Sooke; Mr. T. J. Stephens, Vancouver; Mr. G. Purver, Duncan; Mr. R. S. Bentley, Vancouver; Miss Rivers, Duncan.

Fairfield

Mrs. J. Johnson, Mr. W. A. Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans, Vancouver; Mr. L. S. Dodds, Seattle; Mr. L. Jack, Vancouver.

New England

Mr. Neil, Keatings; Mr. White, Esquimalt; Mrs. J. L. Fern, Vancouver; Mr. H. A. Watson, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keys, Vancouver.

MOTHERS' UNION

Interesting Talks Given by Bishop Schofield and Members of Local Diocese at Annual Service.

The annual service of the Mothers' Union was held on Tuesday afternoon at Christ Church Cathedral. The litany was taken by the Very Rev. Dean Quainton and Rev. J. A. S. Bastin, vicar of Shawnigan, delivered a very helpful sermon. The service was followed by a meeting in the schoolroom, at which the chair was taken by Mrs. Scriven, the president, who in a short address gave an apt portrayal of the term "sympathy," comparing it with "pity," and illustrating her remarks with the old Yorkshire saying, "Pity without relief is like mustard without beef." The reports read by the recording secretary, Mrs. Stiring, showed an increase in membership, although some of the branches for various reasons had not held regular meetings.

A letter from Mrs. Maude, honorary central secretary in London, England, was read, in which she asked for the names of members' sons or husbands serving at the front who have no friends in England, so that her organization might help them and perhaps make life a little happier for the strangers. The literature secretary, Mrs. Frampton, is organising a good library and keen interest is being shown in the splendid collection of books, recommended by the "Mothers' Union, Incorporated." The Bishop of Columbia gave a short talk, which was followed by a discussion, eliciting many helpful suggestions for carrying on the work of the Union. The members are looking forward to a general quarterly meeting to be held early in September.

PLEASED WITH IDEA

The London (Eng.) Times of May 2 refers to the granting to Vancouver by the B. C. Legislature of power to eliminate the jitney in accordance with Dr. Shortt's recommendations:

"The British Columbia Electric Railway announce that they have received advice by cable to the effect that the Parliament of British Columbia has granted full powers to the city of Vancouver to eliminate the jitney (motor car) competition both in the city of Vancouver and between that city and New Westminster. The city authorities applied for these parliamentary powers as they were deemed necessary to give effect to the decisions contained in the report of the commission appointed last year by the Government of British Columbia. This news will be welcomed by the holders of the £4,326,000 of deferred, preferred and preference stock of the company, for since the advent of the jitney car the fortunes of the company have sunk to a very low ebb. For the seven years to 1913-14 the holders of the deferred stock received eight per cent. regularly, and in view of the size of the undertaking, the lines operated amounting to 334 miles in length, the company's securities were regarded as being in the front rank of their class. But in the first six months of the jitney competition the earnings decreased by £152,379, or 45½ per cent., and for the year 1914-15 no dividend was paid to the deferred stockholders, and the preferred stockholders received only 2¾ per cent., and since then neither have received any return upon their investment. In 1915-16 the preference dividend was not fully earned, £70,000 having to be taken from reserve for the purpose of making payment. There would have been no objection to the jitney car competition had it been legitimate, but it was unfair to the company, because these cars were not subject to the same taxation, and contributions to public expenditure as are borne by the street car service. Powers were conferred on the municipalities as long ago as 1915 to control the jitney traffic, but no real advantage was taken of them to place the traffic position on a satisfactory basis."

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Cards for Registration of Man and Woman Power to Hand —Registrants Asked to Study Questions.

The registration cards issued by Ottawa in connection with the effort which is to be made on June 22 to arrive at the man and woman power of the Dominion have been received by Registrar Gaunce at the Hibben-Bone Block, and during the coming fortnight means will be taken to explain as widely as possible the purpose of this registration and the necessity of filling out truthfully and explicitly the answers to the various questions.

The Colonist has already published almost a full summary of the questions, which are now repeated in more detailed form for the benefit of readers. The registration will take place on June 22, and those who fail to register on that date at one or other of the many places which are to be opened for the purpose will very soon become aware of the disadvantages of their negligence.

Card for Males

1. Name in full (surname last)? Address (permanent)? street and number, rural delivery or post office, town or city, province.
2. Age? Date of birth? Country of birth?
3. Race? Speak English (E) or French (F)?
4. British subject? By birth? By naturalization? If naturalized, which year? What place?
5. If not a British subject, to what country do you owe allegiance?
6. Single (S), married (M), Widower (W), or divorced (D)?
7. How many children under 16 years?



NURSING SISTER ETHEL COOK
Daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Cook, of this city, who recently returned from overseas.

8. Physical disabilities, if any?
9. If registered under Military Service Act, what is your serial number?
10. (a) Present occupation (if any)? (b) What is your regular occupation? (c) What other work can you do well? Length of experience in: (a), (b), (c)?
11. If an employee, state employer's name, address, nature of business?
12. Do your circumstances permit you to serve in the present national crisis, by changing your present occupation to some other for which you are qualified, if the conditions offered be satisfactory? (a) Where you can return home daily? (b) Away from home?
13. (a) Were you brought up on a farm? Until what age? (b) Have you worked on farm? How long? (c) Are you retired farmer? (d) Can you handle horses? Drive tractors? Use farm machinery? (e) Are you willing to do farm work? Where? During what periods?

Card for Females

1. Name in full (surname last)?
2. Age?
3. Address (permanent)? number, street, rural delivery or post office, city, town, etc., province.
4. Nationality? Can you speak English? French?
5. British subject? By birth? Naturalization? Marriage?
6. Are you single? Married? Widow? Divorced?
7. How many children or wards under 16? Will these children be recorded by another registrant?
8. Do your health and home ties permit you, if required, to give full-time paid work? (Registrants answering "No" here, need not answer any of the following questions. If answering "Yes" or, if in doubt, should fill up rest of card. All must sign affirmation.)
9. Do your circumstances permit you to live away from home?
10. What is your present main occupation? (a) If in business as employer, state number of employees. (b) If an employee, state name, business and address of employer. (c)



ACTING LIEUT.-COL. ERNEST JAMES
Son of Mr. Percy James, of 1433 Monterey Avenue. Col. James recently won the D.S.O. He lived before the war in the Royal Oak district, and has many friends here.



SIGNALLER T. N. HIBBEN
Word has been received in town of the gassing of Signaller T. N. Hibben, son of Mr. T. N. Hibben. Signaller Hibben is a mounted signaller and has been in every action dating from April, 1917, until he was gassed, 11th March, 1918. He left with the 16th Battalion, intending to transfer into the Flying Corps, but volunteered for the Front after taking first class certificate as signaller, being only nineteen at the time. The following is an extract from a letter received by a lady from her son: "I met T. N. Hibben's son while I was in hospital. Poor kid! He has been gassed, wounded twice, and now has trench fever. He was in the infantry for awhile and then was transferred into the signalling corps, and then from that into the heavy artillery! I was thunderstruck when he came up to my bed and asked me "If I were from Victoria." Then he asked me my name. I was told some time ago that he had been napooed (killed). He certainly has changed a lot since he left school." Signaller T. N. Hibben (Tertius Hibben) is nobly taking his part in this war of "Right Against Might."

If full-time voluntary worker, state name of society served.

11. State particulars of each, if you have (a) Trade or profession? (b) Degree, diploma or certificate? (c) Special training?
12. State length of experience, if any in: (a) General farming; (b) Truck farming; (c) Fruit farming; (d) Poultry farming; (e) Dairy farming?
13. Can you: (a) Drive a tractor? (b) Drive a motor car? (c) Drive a horse? (d) Harness a horse? (e) Do plain cooking?
14. Indicate here any qualification or practical experience which you possess, not already recorded.
15. Considering your health, training and experience, and the national needs, in what capacity do you think you could serve best?
16. Do your circumstances permit you to give regular full-time service without remuneration?

FLYING CORPS THRILLS

Examiners Give Recruits Information Regarding Medical Examinations Some Stay; Some Don't.

A young man who wanted to join the army aviation corps paused a moment before folding up the application blank handed him and inquired of the sergeant:

"Do they give you much of an examination?"

"Oh, yes," replied the sergeant. "The physical test is pretty stiff."



HARRY HILL
Who left as a private in the 48th Battalion and is now training at Bexhill, in the officers' training school. He will return to France with the 133rd Battalion when he secures his commission.

"What do they give a man who joins the aviation corps—I mean in the physical test?" asked the applicant.

"Oh," said the sergeant, screwing up his face thoughtfully, "let's see. I s'pose you can hop around on your right foot without falling down for a half hour?"

"Yes."

"Did you ever have a guy pour cold water in one ear and hot water in t'other?"

"No."

"Didn't think so. That's what they do to you here."

"Why?"

"Well, they don't want any dizzy boys up in airplanes, and the water seems to tell the examiners whether a guy gets dizzy or not. After that they take you in a dark room and shoot all kinds of lights in your eyes to see what effect they have on 'em. That generally floors most guys. Then if you get by on these you grope round in the dark, and all of a sudden some guy shoots a pistol right by your ear."

"Anything more?" asked the applicant.

"Sure. They lead you into a room with lots of light and they spins you round like a top. And then, when you don't know whether you're on your head or on your feet, a guy says: 'Now, hold your arms on a level and walk straight.' If you get by you're a peach."

"Say," bawled the fellow who wanted to join the aviation corps, "take back this paper. Show me where to join the infantry."

"Room 503," said the sergeant, cheerily. "Next!"

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WHAT COUNTRIES MAKE ONE "BRITISH-BORN"

List of Places in Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, and Oceania Which Will Affect Replies.

In contemplation of the forthcoming registration on June 22 of the man and woman power of the Dominion, the registrar calls attention to the importance on the part of registrants of giving serious consideration to the questions which are asked on the cards. Anticipating possible hesitancy on the part of the registrants in replying to the question, "Are You a British Subject?" and, if so, whether by birth or naturalization, the Board has furnished a list showing which places are British territory and birth in which makes a person "British-born."

A British-born person is one born in one of the following places:

Europe—United Kingdom, Isle of Man, Channel Islands, Malta and Gozo, Gibraltar, Cyprus.

Asia—Indian Empire, Ceylon, Straits Settlements, Federated Malay States, other Malay States, Hong Kong, Weihaiwei, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak.

Africa—Cape Province, Natal, Transvaal, Orange Free State, Union of South Africa; Basutoland, Bechuanaland (protectorate), Rhodesia; Gambia, Gold Coast, Sierra Leone, Northern Nigeria, Southern Nigeria, British West Africa; Somaliland, British East Africa, Uganda, Zanzibar (protectorate), Nyasaland (protectorate), Egypt, Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Ascension, St. Helena.

North and South America—Dominion of Canada, Newfoundland, Bermuda; British West Indies—Jamaica,



NURSING SISTER GLADYS WAKE
Graduate of Jubilee Hospital nurses' training class of 1913, who died recently of wounds received during a bombing raid by Germans over a British hospital in France.

Bahamas, Leeward Islands (Antigua, Montserrat), Windward Islands (Grenada, St. Vincent, St. Lucia), Barbados, Trinidad and Tobago; British Guiana, British Honduras, Falkland Islands.

Oceania—Commonwealth of Australia—New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Queensland, Tasmania, Westerna Australia; Dominion of New Zealand, Fiji, Papua, Pacific Islands.

MILITARY NOTES

Corpl. Harry Richmond, of the Royal Flying Corps, returned to Toronto early last week after spending a week's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richmond, of 804 Lampson Street, Esquimalt. Corpl. Richmond is a native son of Victoria and well known, having attended the city schools and later being employed as a fireman on the E. & N. Railway. He left for Toronto in June, 1917, and this is his first furlough home. A brother, Pte. Albert Richmond, is serving overseas with the Canadian Army Medical Corps.

Mr. Estabrook, military secretary for the Victoria district Y.M.C.A., returned on Friday from Qualicum Hospital for Convalescent Soldiers, where on Thursday evening he superintended a motion picture entertainment given to the officers and men and members of the nursing staff. Arrangements have been made, Secretary Estabrook announced, for the giving weekly of entertainments of this character at Qualicum, a promise which was greeted with great enthusiasm by the patients there.

Fairfax W. Poole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poole, 420 St. Charles Street, has signed up as a cadet with the Royal Flying Corps. He expects to leave shortly for Toronto to commence training. For the last few months he has been employed at the C.P.R. ticket office in the city.

LONDON, June 8.—The by-election at Gravesend resulted in the election of Richardson, Coalitionist, with a vote of 1,313; Davis, Independent Coalitionist, had 1,106; Hinkle, Independent Laborite, 582.



CAPT. L. L. REED
Who returned from France on sick-leave in November, 1917, and left again last month to join the first Canadian Tank Battalion, Ottawa, being promoted from lieutenant almost immediately.

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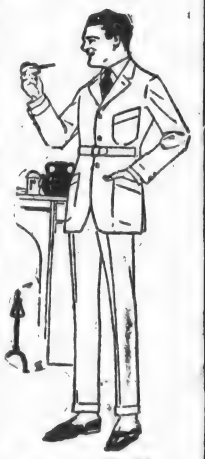
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Britain Is Acquitted of Any Blame For War

By Viscount Bryce

The secret Memorandum which Prince Lichnowsky wrote as a record and vindication of his conduct while German Ambassador in England is the most important single document which has come before the world since the first days of the war. It was not meant to become known during the war, perhaps not within his own lifetime. It was written not to justify England but to criticise the policy which tied Germany to Austria, and was published without, and indeed against, its author's will. It may have been composed partly to relieve the writer's own feelings, from an impulse which those will understand who are prevented by considerations of public duty from vindicating their conduct to the world. It may also be due to the sense, natural to men who have borne a part in great events, that they owe it to posterity to contribute what they can to the truth of history. Anyhow, it has exposed him to the anger and persecution of the German Government; and this persecution is evidence of the importance they attach to it as a condemnation of their conduct. The truth of its contents has been confirmed, if indeed it needed confirmation, by the statements of Herr von Jagow, late German Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and of Herr Muhlon, one of the Krupp directors.

Prince Lichnowsky appears in this document as a man of clear vision and cool judgment, an acute observer of social as well as political phenomena, a good witness both to what he noted during his residence here and to what he knew of the action of his own Government. And now let us see what he records.

When the war began in August, 1914, the German Government entered on two campaigns, which it has ever since prosecuted with equal energy and an equal disregard of honor and humanity.

One of these was the campaign by arms. It suddenly invaded Belgium, a peaceful neutral country, whose neutrality it was pledged to respect, and which it has treated with the utmost cruelty, murdering, or reducing to the slavery of forced labor, its civilian and non-combatant inhabitants. It has similarly enslaved the inhabitants of Poland, and has encouraged its Turkish allies to massacre their innocent Armenian subjects.

A Campaign of Falsehood

The other campaign was one of falsehood, conducted by speeches and through the press, and intended to mislead public opinion. It was an effort to deceive both its own people and neutral nations by mendacious misrepresentations of German aims, purposes, and conduct, and by equally false descriptions of the aims, purposes, and conduct of Germany's antagonists, and especially of the British Government and the British people. It tried to represent the war as having been forced upon Germany by Britain. Germany, it said, was merely defending herself against an unprovoked attack. She desired to live at peace with her neighbors, developing her own resources, cherishing no aggressive designs. Her enormous army and navy had been created only to protect her against the jealous and malicious enemies by whom she was surrounded, and especially against Great Britain. Britain, it seems, was envious of Germany. Being herself "a decadent nation"—this was the prevailing German view—she feared the commercial competition of Germany, and tried to keep the latter out of all foreign markets. British policy —so they said—under the direction of King Edward VII., had formed alliances with France and Russia in order to hem in Germany, and after trying to block Germany's outlets in Africa and Asia, contrived this war to destroy by arms the rival whom she could not face up to in trade and manufacturing industry. While these accusations were brought against Britain, attempts were made to excuse the invasion of Belgium by the false stories, dropped as soon as they had served their temporary purpose, that French officers had been sent into Belgium to help to organise the Belgian troops against Germany and that French aviators had been flying over German territory.

Grotesque as all these inventions were, they were repeated with such audacity as to produce some effect in neutral countries. But their chief and more lasting influence was on the German people. A large part of the German press, inspired and controlled by the German Government, had for some time past been holding up England as the persistent foe of Germany. It now redoubled its falsehoods, represented Sir Edward Grey as having plotted to bring about a war, and urged Russia to refuse a peaceful solution; and it added equally groundless charges that England had secretly planned with Belgium to attack Germany through Belgian territory. These fables, repeated incessantly by German politicians, as well as by the newspapers, found ready credence with the German people, easily led by their Press, always docile to the orders of their Government, and now swept off their feet by a wave of patriotism and by the belief that they were about to achieve a victory as rapid and complete as that of 1870. It was this conviction of the malevolence and the grasping ambition of England that created that ferocious hatred of the English which has continued to display itself in the treatment of English prisoners and in the exultation over such crimes as the sinking of the Lusitania.

Organized Hate

This sudden outburst of hatred in a nation so intelligent, startled and amazed us, and can only be understood only when we remember that the German Government did everything in their power not only to create hatred, but also to stifle every voice that was raised to let the people know the truth. They never have been permitted to know the truth, and the disappointment that fell upon them when their march on Paris was arrested with the help of a British Army and their coasts strictly blockaded by a British fleet added fuel to their anger and has made it ever since an easier matter to keep the truth from them.

Now what was the truth?

The British people bore no hatred whatever towards the German people. King Edward VII. meant no harm to Germany when he showed his liking for the French. Neither did his Ministers when they took steps to remove the differences that had been causing troubles between ourselves and France, and again when they came to a friendly understanding with Russia. These arrangements were made in the interests of European peace and good will, not in order to damage Germany. British merchants and manufacturers never dreamt of fighting Germany to get rid of her commercial competition. Had such an idea occurred to them, they would have reflected that Germany was England's best foreign customer, not to add that two years of even a successful war would have inflicted far more loss upon them than the extinction of German trade competition could have repaired in twenty years. British men of science and learning admired the immense contributions Germany had been making to the progress of knowledge and they had many personal friends in Germany. British statesmen did not desire to add to British possessions abroad, feeling that we had already all we needed, and that the greatest interest of the British Empire was a universal peace.

No section of our people, neither traders, nor thinkers and writers, nor statesmen, had any idea of the dangers to peace which lay (as we now know, in the mind and the purpose of those who ruled Germany. We did not realise what the feudal aristocracy and military caste of Germany were pondering and planning, nor how little weight they attached to considerations either of good faith or of humanity. Hence, beyond maintaining a strong fleet, the indispensable protection of a country open to sea attack which did not maintain a large army, we had made no preparations for war, and had scarcely bethought ourselves of what action we should have to take on land if we became involved in war. In this belief and attitude there may have been less prudence than was needed. But our absence of suspicion is the best proof of how little we expected aggression. It is an absolute refutation of the calumny that Britain, with her tiny army, was planning an attack on the greatest military Power in the world.

All this every Englishman knows. I repeat it only because it has now received not only a confirmation but also a valuable further proof in the Lichnowsky Memorandum, a proof unsolicited and uncontemplated, and, moreover, unimpeachable, because it comes from one who bore a leading part in what it records, and who never meant to let it become known.

Our Pacific Spirit

First. — The Memorandum bears witness to the pacific spirit of the British people. Here are some of its words:

"The commercial jealousy about which we (in Germany) hear so much is based on a wrong conception of the circumstances. Certainly Germany's rise as a commercial Power after 1870 and during the following decades was a menace to British commercial circles which with their industries and export houses had held a virtual monopoly. The increasing commerce with Germany which was the leading country in Europe as regards British exports, had, however, given rise to the wish to maintain friendly relations with their best customer and business friend, and had driven all other considerations into the background. Notably, in commerical circles I encountered the most friendly spirit and the effort to further our common commerical interests." "At the English cities to which I was invited (by the Chambers of Commerce and municipalities) I was well received everywhere. . . . In all other circles I also met with the most friendly reception and co-operation—at Court, in society, and from the Government."

"On account of our fleet alone England would not have drawn the sword any more than on account of our trade, which has been alleged to have produced jealously and finally war. . . . It was possible to arrive at an understanding in spite of the fleet, and without a 'naval holiday' (intermission of naval shipbuilding)."

Secondly. — The Memorandum shows that the attitude of the British Government, and in particular of Sir Edward Grey, then Foreign Minister was entirely pacific. The admirable characterization of Sir Edward it contains is too long to quote, but it testifies to his perfect straightforwardness and constant wish to maintain good relations with Germany, and after describing how "the simplicity and honesty of his ways secured him the respect even of his opponents," it adds: "This is a true picture of the man who is decried (in Germany) as 'Liar Grey' and instigator of the world war."

The Memorandum goes on to show how sincerely Sir Edward had worked for peace, first in 1913, during the Balkan troubles, when he went hand-in-hand with Germany, "hardly ever supporting the French or Russian claims." "He conducted the negotiations with circumspection, calm, and tact." Frequently, when appealed to by Lichnowsky to use his influence with the Russian Government to arrange difficulties between it and Germany, "Sir Edward gladly did this, and his intervention contributed in no small degree to smooth the matter over."

Thirdly, a still weightier evidence of the good will of the British Government is supplied by the account given of the concessions made to German wishes in Asia and Africa. "Sir Edward Grey," says the Memorandum, "after having settled all outstanding points of difference with France and Russia wished to make similar agreements with us. It was not his object to isolate us, but to the best of his power to make us partners in the existing association. As he had succeeded in overcoming Anglo-French and Anglo-Russian differences, so he also wished to do his best to eliminate the Anglo-German, and by a network of treaties, which would no doubt have led in the end to an agreement on the troublesome question of naval armaments, to ensure the peace of the world.

Germany and the Bagdad Railway

"His plan was, in his own words, without interfering with England's existing friendship, which has no aggressive aims and does not entail any binding obligations, to arrive at a friendly rapprochement and understanding with Germany to bring the two groups (of Powers) nearer." In pursuance of this policy, the British Government went a very long way to meet German wishes in respect to the Bagdad Railway. They agreed to let it be prolonged to El Basra; they included the whole of Mesopotamia as far as that town in the German sphere of influence, and also the whole district of the Bagdad and Anatolian railway, i.e., all the centre of Asia Minor.

Not less large were the concessions made in South Central Africa. "The new agreement (regarding the interests of Germany and England in the African possessions of Portugal) was fully in accord with German wishes and interests. For these the British Government showed the greatest consideration. Sir E. Grey intended to demonstrate his good will towards us, but he also wished to assist our colonial development as a whole." These arrangements were embodied in two treaties highly advantageous to Germany, which, however, the German Government, for some reasons of its own, had postponed signing, so that they remained unpublished up till the outbreak of the war. Had we in England known the inner spirit of the German Government, and the use they would make of our concessions, British Ministers might well have hesitated to go so far as they did. But that they conceded so much is the completest proof of their good will and the most convincing refutation of the charges which the German Ministers and Press have brought against them.

It would take too long to follow out in this article the constant efforts of the British Government during the fateful days before the outbreak of the war to avoid a conflict by means of Sir E. Grey's repeated plans of mediation and adjustment. The memorandum shows how earnestly he labored for peace at Berlin, at Petersburg, at Vienna, and how all his attempts were baffled by the settled purpose of the German Government to force on war.

The Potsdam Conference

Britain may, like other nations, have in the past sometimes indulged her ambition, sometimes abused her strength, sometimes embarked in wars that might well have been avoided. But on this occasion at least she is blameless. Never in her long history has she had so perfectly clear a conscience as in the case of this war. Her people neither contemplated it nor desired it. They were driven into it by the action of the German Government, which persisted in pushing it on even when Austria seemed willing to draw back. All had evidently been settled at that famous Potsdam Conference, when (as the German Ambassador at Constantinople, before Italy had declared war against Austria, told his Italian colleague) the Emperor had inquired of his military and naval chiefs whether they were ready for the conflict for which, during some months preceding, preparations had been in progress. Neither when the war began did Britain wish to do more than prevent Germany from destroying Belgium and mortally wounding France. Sir E. Grey spoke truly for the nation when, as the memorandum records, he said: "We don't want to crush Germany."

What will be the result of these disclosures? How will they affect opinion in Germany? There must be thousands of men there who, like Prince Lichnowsky, are not carried away by national vanity and unbridled ambition, but retain a respect for the principles of good faith and humanity, men who desire to know the truth and will try to make it prevail. Have such men, now that a rent has been made in the veil of falsehood which the German Government has thrown over its subjects, the courage or the strength to tell their rulers that they can no longer trust them nor tolerate the system which has disgraced Germany in the eyes of the world and brought untold miseries upon her as well as on the peoples she has attacked? Or will a change in German spirit and German purposes be brought about by nothing but defeat in war, a defeat which will show that the yoke of military domination under which Germany lies prostrate is condemned not only by its wickedness but by that test which even wickedness must admit to be decisive, the test of Failure?



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HOPEFUL CITIZENS SEEK OUT ECLIPSE

Many Victorians Visit Gonzales Observatory Yesterday Afternoon in Hope of Seeing Unusual Phenomenon.

In spite of the cloudiness of the weather yesterday afternoon, a large number took advantage of the invitation from Mr. Napier Denison to the members of the Natural History Society and the Royal Astronomical Society and their friends to view the solar eclipse from the Gonzales Observatory. Over a hundred registered in the observatory visitors' book. Unfortunately Old Sol, as if ashamed of having to submit to his brilliance being dimmed by a mere moon, drew a veil of atmospheric moisture over the proceedings, and the opportunity for observing the phenomenon was not afforded.

There were just a few minutes from about 4.30 on when brief glimpses of the sun's face could be obtained through a filmy veil of cloud, and the use of smoked glasses enabled observers to have a clear view for brief periods of the moon passing away from in front of the sun when the eclipse was in its later stage.

Mr. Denison had fitted up a screen below the eye-piece of his equatorial telescope, on which the image of the sun would have been projected had the weather been clear in such a way that the phenomenon could be watched by a number at a time, but the vistors were doomed to disappointment. However, a very interesting time was spent by the visitors, Mr. Denison kindly showing them over the building and explaining the various instruments and their use, while the view alone from the roof of the observatory was sufficient reward for the short climb from the end of the carline.

Though the break in the fine weather which has prevailed lately interfered with scientific observation of the heavens, it meant welcome relief to the agriculturists. Rainy weather was general all over the mainland yesterday and showery weather is probable here for the immediate future, and will, it is expected by Mr. Denison, be general over the Province.

Other Observers

The "near" eclipse did not pass unobserved by the wild birds as well as the poultry of the farmyard. The former sought leafy covering, as for the night, the drowsy twitterings during the darkest period of the afternoon—which occurred about 4 o'clock—indicating that the little songsters had been beguiled into the belief that "tucking-up" time had come. The staid fowl of the poultry yard were reported by several careful observers to show a marked inclination to go to roost, emerging after an hour's snooze to what they probably thought was the morning of a new day.

A real optimist was observed early in the forenoon established on a camp stool behind a small portable telescope which he had set up on the shore road, Fowl Bay, with well-packed luncheon hamper and literature at hand to pass the time away until the first appearance of the shadow on the sun's face. Perhaps he was one of the few fortunate observers, as from several points in the city small rifts in the clouds revealed some phase of the phenomenon during the afternoon. To downtown folk the effect was very much like the passing of a heavy thunder-cloud, with a noticeable lowering of the temperature. Otherwise, the sky being heavily veiled in gray, nothing was noticeable, the twitching on of the electric lights in the offices bringing about a quite normal atmosphere.

Cold Wave in Europe

AMSTERDAM, June 8.—A sudden cold wave has struck Central Europe, including Germany and spread over Holland and Scandinavia, according to reports from many points. There have been local snowfalls, hailstorms and severe night frosts. Widespread damage to the growing grain, fruit and potato crop is reported.

WILL CELEBRATE HISTORIC EVENT

Sixtieth Anniversary of Coming of Sisters of St. Ann to Be Commemorated on June 21—"Chapter of Years."

One of the ancient landmarks of Victoria is St. Ann's Convent, and the sixtieth anniversary of the advent of the Sisterhood to this city comes this month, the event to be commemorated by a reception to pupils, past and present, on June 21.

It was at this time of the summer, 1858, that four sisters of St. Ann took possession of a back street cabin near Beacon Hill, this being the nucleus of the institution which has now come to occupy one of the largest buildings in the city. The line of steady progress from the twenty-foot cabin to the 300-foot Academy has been marked with benevolent results to the young, to the suffering, and to the homeless, and St. Ann's having long stood as an important factor in education and philanthrophy both in Victoria and all along the Northwest Coast.

Ladies in all ranks of society and in every round of occupation take pleasure in being numbered among the students of St. Ann's. The silvery-headed alumna of 1858 relates her schoolday experiences in the cabin contrast with as keen a sense of its having been up-to-date as does the 1918 graduate of the present Academy.

The reception, which is to be strictly inclusive of former pupils of the art, the music and the commercial departments, as well as of the school branches, will be held on the Academy grounds Friday, June 21, from three to five-thirty in the afternoon.

In honor of this anniversary a book, entitled "A Chapter of Years," has been compiled. In this booklet the leading historical features of St. Ann's have been thrown in a setting of incidents which will bring many familiar and happy memories to those who shared life at St. Ann's.

MYSTERY ATTACHES TO MONTREAL MURDER

MONTREAL, June 8.—The King's Bench yesterday returned a verdict of "guilty of murder" against Joseph Neuccera, one of the two Italians charged with the murder of Giovanni Bettiol, in this city on April 22. He was sentenced to be hanged on Sept. 23. The other Italian was acquitted.

After his liberation, and in the presence of a large crowd, this man stated that there had been a miscarriage of justice and that the man whom Neuccera had fought with had gone to the hospital and was now walking around in Montreal. The body that had been found by the police was not, he declared, that of Bettiol, but some one unknown.

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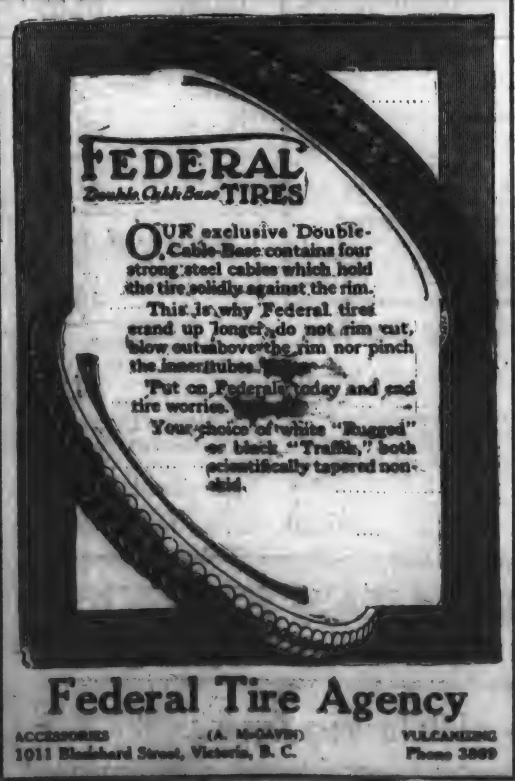
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NATIONAL MOVEMENT BEGINS AT VICTORIA

Public Library Here Is Subject of Interesting Article by Yvonne Sarcey in Famous Paris Publication

Events of the last three years have brought to light much evidence as to the insidious way in which Germany went about the dissemination of her gospel, her philosophy, and her doctrines, with a view to undermining and disarming as well as to afford an excuse for scattering broadcast her dangerous spies and agents. It is only just beginning to dawn on some of these countries now ranged against this deadly foe that years of opportunity have been lost by them in bridging international chasms which are now, as far as military needs are concerned, being spanned by the iron structures of war. But even yet little has been done to build anything in the shape of more permanent highways which will lead to mutual understanding between nations whose social and inner life still remains alien through centuries of dissociation, during which each has turned chiefly to itself for mental and spiritual stimulus.

The necessity for correcting this attitude is brought home very forcibly in an article contributed by Yvonne Sarcey, one of the leading women writers of France today, to "Les Annales," a Paris periodical which has a very wide circulation and a recognized place in the field of journalistic literature.

To Victoria people the special interest of this article lies in the fact that there is reference at some length therein to the public library of this city.

The fact should be well-noted by the Development Association or any kindred bodies which are attempting to focus attention on the city on account of its purely industrial or climatic advantages rather than for the possibilities which lie behind its educational institutions among which the public library must surely be counted. The war and the sight of the Canadian soldiers fighting so gallantly in France has inspired a longing for a more cordial "entente" than was ever dreamed in pre-war days. Miss Stewart has ocular evidence in the form of numerous communications and much in the way of current books on philosophy, science and sociology by living French authors to show how ready France is to meet any sympathetic overtures from the Canadian people.

Incidentally, it will be seen, the Victoria library may be made the origin of a big international movement, and those who seek more selfishly the material interests of the city itself could not ask for a more liberal form of advertisement than has already been given through the agency of "Les Annales."

Absent Books

"The city of Victoria possesses a public library, the building, a little palace for books given by the American, Carnegie, containing thousands and thousands of volumes," says Yvonne Sarcey, in introducing the institution to her French readers. "People read much in Canada, and just at first after the war began everyone devoured books which promised to bring them a better understanding of French culture. Every day there were demanded hundreds of old books of history, of romance, and these planted the good seed in the hearts of the readers. At this library there is a special room reserved for children, who have their own corner, reserved for their special literary needs. Here were fairy stories, picture books, books of instruction in French, which were used by the school children. In the rooms for adults one would have foreseen something in the way of French literature. Alas! There was little to be found. Moreover, as these books were gifts it was easy to recognize there our apathy.

"We possess some of the very grandest writers of the world," continues Mme. Sarcey. "New ideas, ingenious inventions . . . the French have always been at the head of intellectual movements and all the creations of genius have emanated from their clever mind . . . but our organization is so slothful that it does nothing to scatter abroad the fruit of all this work, and consequently loses the influence which France should exercise on the world."

It is at this point she comes to the source of her suggestion and the suggestion itself.

"People might be willing to send their books, but Canada was far away, and to whom should the books be sent anyway? As always, an organizer was wanted. Mme. Jeanne Berton, a French woman resident in Victoria, had offered a solution of the difficulty. In a letter which had been received by Mme. Sarcey from her distant countrywoman, recently she had been told how welcome would be to the people of Victoria an interchange with France of books and letters.

"The people of Victoria are well educated and understand French sufficiently to read French books," Mme. Berton had written. "If French authors, writers whom we admire, would but send some of their writings it would help to stimulate more than you can believe a patriotic sympathy between the countries, and perhaps might also be the means of cultivating a taste for French literature and of adding still something more to the honor of France. . . . If you find my idea favorable will you request that people send to Canada any books which are impregnated with the spirit of France and which would help to bring to readers a new interest and greater love for your beautiful country?"

The letter from Mme. Berton to Yvonne Sarcey concluded by giving the address of Miss Stewart, the librarian at the institution on Yates Street.

"Les Annales" goes all over France, and within a very few weeks after the article above referred to appeared in the periodical, Miss Stewart was in receipt of a score or more letters from French people living at Marseilles, Paris, Rouen, Bordeaux, and some of the little known villages of the country which is so besieged by war. There began to arrive, too, parcels of French literature, gifts of books from the authors, bearing on every conceivable subject from cookery and surgery to sentiment and romance.

She did not understand this sudden influx of foreign correspondence until one day she was enlightened by Mme. Berton. It was very illuminating. For while the local librarian solved the puzzle of many parcels from France she also discovered that here was a clue to a very real desire for better understanding.

The centralizing of the idea was all that seemed required. Miss Stewart found not the least difficulty in "placing" the score and a half of French correspondents who wished to "exchange ideas with the people of Victoria." Evidently people here were just as anxious to learn more about the inner mind of France, to work out the entente in the personal and civilian sense as well as in the national and military sense. And the books which are arriving almost every day through the overseas mail are being catalogued and placed on the library shelves for the benefit of those who are anhungering for a glimpse of the big heart of France.

Understanding v. Emotion

Yvonne Sarcey calls attention to the difference between impulsive affection and real understanding. At this juncture—and if a true and lasting knitting together of the Allies is to be accomplished—the analysis is worth following.

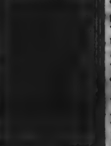
"There is a thing which is not taught at any school, but which is of most vital importance: the art of imposing our influence on the stranger," she points out. "During this war we have made a startling discovery, to wit, our great love of country. To love one's country is admirable. But it must be shown in all ways. . . . When one of the people of the Allies comes to us we show him our theatres, our restaurants, our places of pleasure, the imposing fronts of our big houses, but from the inner family circle he is barred. We have not the fine instinct of hospitality which we should show to the stranger."

This is self-condemnation of an honest nature. The writer goes on to show the results of this.

"It is not astonishing, therefore, that we have been misjudged. It is now, when we are suffering together for the same cause, that we should join hands with a pledge to understand each other, to love each other, to work together to the great common end. . . . If each Frenchman would unite in the effort it would be easy. . . . All know what a splendid effort has been made by Canada for his second country, France. Can we do enough for her, this magnificent Canada which is so ardent to serve us and which is sending her sons to die for us? . . . Before the war how differently we treated the stranger as compared with the Germans, who immediately and methodically set about accomplishing his work of making the visitor understand how honored they felt by his visit, how anxious they were to keep up the friendly relations. . . . And in spite of all this it was us, the French, whom the Canadians and Americans loved. This good fortune we possessed without any effort on our part. Let us do something now to bring about a finer and more intimate understanding. Let us read their books and they ours, let us try to discover the true spirit of their people, so close to that of ours; let us make of our two nations one."

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The Zionist Movement

Of tremendous significance to the Jews of the world is the announcement that Italy has joined with France and England in the indorsement of the Zionist movement and of a Jewish national homeland in Palestine. The Zionist movement has not the approval of all the leaders among Jews of America or of the world. Many of them very vigorously oppose it. Yet the movement has gained, even in America, such a strong following among the Jews as to make it one of world-wide interest. With England and France and Italy giving consent and encouragement to the movement, the dream of the Jews for their old land, a national identity, a national language and a national life may be near to realization.—Kansas City Star.

DON COSSACKS STILL ESCHEW BOLSHEVISM

Italian Correspondent Says Free Territory of the Don Is Only Orderly Region in Whole of Russia.

The only corner of Russia in which something like the old order and the old plenty still prevail, where soldiers still salute and respect their officers, where the courts and the banks still carry on their functions, where crime is punished and an impartial authority protects the citizens, is, according to Armando Zanetti, a special correspondent for the Giornale d'Italia in Rome, Italy, the free territory of the Cossacks of the Don. For this reason, he suggests, those who cannot adapt themselves to liberty as the Bolsheviki interpret it have taken refuge there. It is, perhaps, Signor Zanetti thinks, because they have so long been educated in real liberty—as those who have given their service to the Czar in exchange for certain prerogatives of liberty and guarantees of autonomy in their own territory—that the Cossacks have kept their balance better than any other portion of the Russian population in the midst of this frenzy of liberty. It is the free territory of the Don, the greatest of the 12 "Cossack armies" numbering about 80 regiments, each 1,000 strong, and in which the Cossack element is about 47 per cent of the population and the traditions of liberty and discipline are strongest, that has longest resisted the tempest and aspires to be the centre of the resistance and reorganization of the best forces in Russia. How long this state of things will last, it is, he says, difficult to say; the wave of Bolshevism which has spread so widely is already threatening the liberty and independence hitherto maintained in the Don.

The territory of the Don is in size equal to about half the kingdom of Italy and has a population of about 3,500,000. It is at the present time menaced on all sides. On the north the Bolsheviki are masters of Voronesh, Kharkof, Ekaterinoslv and Mariapol and are hoping to gain possession of the chief railway system of the territory and by this means to threaten the capital, Novcercassk. It is menaced also from the south and the east; fortunately, however, the Bolshevist bands have a way of disappearing rapidly on the appearance of the Cossack troops commanded by their popular leaders. The Don has also suffered from difficulties in its supplies of coal, petroleum and certain manufactured articles habitually imported from Russia; the economic blockade is, however, more apparent than real and the gravest dangers are the internal ones.

Not Free of Unrest

Some of the Cossack regiments returning from the front have imported Bolshevism into the territory and this has spread among the masses of the working classes in the cities, especially those of Taganrog and Rostoff. The danger of the Bolshevism of the returning regiments is lessened by the influence of the older men, and the younger ones cannot forget, in the long run, that they themselves own land and therefore have their interests to defend against the socialization of land and dwellings. All the same, its results are far from negligible for those who hoped to free Russia from the Germans and the Bolsheviki by means of the Cossacks. If it were not for the bands of irregulars and for certain regiments which have remained faithful to discipline, the independence which the territory has so far preserved would have been submerged in a wave of Bolshevism. For the present the independence of the Don is not threatened from the outside, those elements which have stood firm, together with the voluntary army which is being formed out of the soldiers and officers of the former Russian army are sufficient to safeguard it. So far the government of Kaledin has been strong enough to maintain order and to keep the "Soviety" in their place, but the Bolsheviki have helped by the fact that the non-Cossack population are discontented with their position of legal and social inferiority. If the constitution of a mixed government is not brought about in which the non-Cossack population finds itself equally represented, the Cossack government will be faced with serious discontent in the country and among the commercial and working classes, which would have the effect of greatly strengthening Bolshevism.

IN MEMORIAM

By E. Desmond Deane.

There they lie—the unforgotten Dead!

On an Irish green hillside are the graves of those who were so cruelly murdered three years ago by German treachery and cold-blooded malice. Innocent, helpless women and children, most of them, sent to their account without a moment's warning.

The blue water of Queenstown Harbour at their feet is dotted with American men-of-war prepared to avenge them, so now they sleep in peace. Think what they must have felt lying there waiting for their people to come!

An old woman I met by the churchyard said: "'Twas terrible to hear the souls moaning and crying round here on nights. Not a one would come nigh the place once the evening fell with the sorrow of them, but now they be quiet, God rest them! They sees the ships down there. They know." And down there I, too, see the Stars and Stripes floating side by side with the Union Jack of Old England.

It was a beautiful morning in May when I paid my visit of remembrance and homage. Such a day as this, I thought, three years ago, that happy company on that floating palace, so beautifully forcing her way through the waters, saw the hills of Ireland smile a welcome to them; but, alas! it was the welcome of death. A cruel, treacherous death lurked in these clear, brilliant waters.

"Unnamed, Unknown"

About a mile outside Queenstown is the graveyard. I climbed up the steep side of the town, then out by a country road which sheep, cows, donkeys, goats, pigs—to say nothing of geese and [illegible] in company, to the quiet spot where the victims lay.

No stone or cross marks the place; if it were not for the old women I found wandering near, I might have had to come away without seeing the hallowed spot. In four large plots about eight yards long by six yards wide lie the poor victims of the most cold-blooded, the most ruthless of the many terrible crimes the Germans have committed. Nearly 1,500 victims of Hun treachery lie here unnamed, unknown. Sweet flowers deck the spot—wall-flowers, jonquils, forget-me-nots, asphodels, and sweet-smelling violets make the air fragrant with their scents. Many wreaths bearing the names of British men-of-war decorate the graves, otherwise they are undistinguished. Those who go down to the sea in ships do not forget.

Little they thought, those poor things now lying there, on that May day three years ago, as they saw the hills of Ireland illumined in the sunshine, that they were looking their last on sun and sea and kindly earth; little they thought their bodies would find a resting place in that beautiful land of Erin, so quick and sudden was their taking-off.

It must have seemed to them resting there that they were forgotten, that they had died in vain as the months rolled by, yet still the mighty nation to which they belonged did nothing—but America does not forget. She is slow to anger, but when once roused there is no holding her back. She has arisen in her might to help to slay the beast of Prussian militarism.

As I said a prayer for those poor souls and dropped a few flowers for remembrance, it seemed as if a soft breeze blew a whisper saying, "We are happy; we are avenged; our mother has not forgotten us." And down below floated the Stars and Stripes side by side with the Union Jack.—London Chronicle.

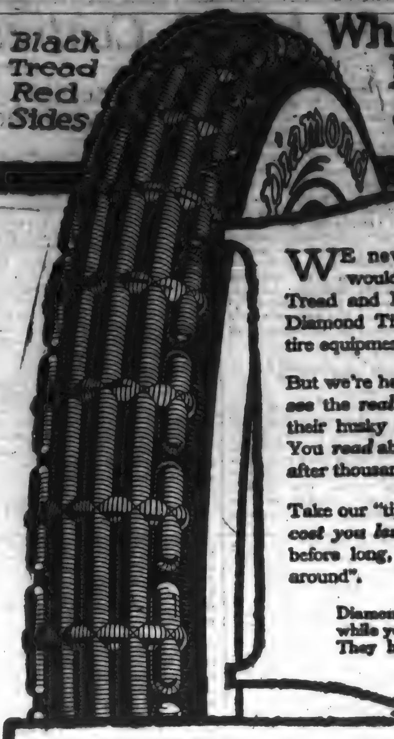
Belated Memorial

At Auburn, Athlone, the poet's birthplace, a memorial is being erected to Oliver Goldsmith. It will take the form of the restoration of the church where the poet's father ministered for many years.

The "Dictionary of National Biography" records that Oliver Goldsmith was born in 1728 at Ballymahon, Longford, and that two years later his father, Charles Goldsmith, became rector of Kilkenny West and settled at Lissoy.

Lissoy is now known as Auburn. It is a village on the road between Athlone and Ballymahon. The Dictionary says that Auburn of the "Deserted Village" in some degree represents Lissoy, and that the story of an old eviction by a General Napier was probably in Goldsmith's mind when he wrote the poem, although it is intended to apply to England.

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LADYSMITH TROUPE GIVE PLAY AT DUNCAN

Excellent Performance Given in Knights of Pythias Hall on Thursday Evening in Aid of Red Cross.

DUNCAN, June 8.—The entertainment given in the K. of P. Hall on Thursday evening by the Junior Branch of the Red Cross Society of Ladysmith, drew a packed house, and the members of the troupe which gave the excellent performance are deserving of great credit. Some very fine acting was displayed, and all the parts were well taken. The play depicted the domestic troubles in the household of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Barclay, which at times were most amusing, with a climax of a happy ending for all parties concerned. Miss Isabel Little played the part of Mrs. Barclay, with Mr. Joseph Lapsansky in the role of Morton Barclay, while Miss Ella Bazuld took the part of Amelia Brown, the married sister of Mr. Barclay, who, with her very much spoiled daughter Cora (which part was indeed well played by Miss Muriel Beattie), deposited themselves for a lengthy visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barclay and stirred up further troubles in the household. Miss Nina Wright played the part of Ruth Carter, a sister of Mrs. Barclay, who was visiting them at the time, and who tried to keep things running smoothly. Miss Mary McLaughlin as Mary Anne O'Conner, the Irish maid, was splendid indeed, and afforded much amusement throughout the performance with her Irish brogue and spirited acting. Mr. E. Cull took the part of Dennis O'Hara, a help about the place, who was much in love with Mary Anne O'Conner; while Dr. C. Inkster took the part of Roger Stuart, who had fallen to the charms of Ruth Carter, and Miss Viola Johnson played the role of Elsie Stuart, a sister of Roger Stuart and great friend of Ruth Carter.

In the songs and choruses, Miss B. Gourlay took the leading part in "A Lonesome Melody," assisted by the Misses M. Beattie, M. Greenhorn, J. O'Connell, R. Verchere and E. Pannell. Miss M. Colle took the leading part in "By the Beautiful Sea," and was assisted in the chorus by the Misses B. Gourlay, J. O'Connell, D. Popovich, E. Pannell, R. Verchere and E. Campbell. In the song and chorus, "All Aboard for Dixieland," Miss I. Smith took the leading part, assisted by Misses M. Beattie, D. Popovich, M. Greenhorn, E. Pannell and E. Campbell.

The recitation of Miss Irene Smith, given in true Dutch style, and with her responses, were much enjoyed. Miss Maude V. Baby acted as pianiste, and Miss Nina Wright as manager in charge.

The appropriate costumes and the manner in which the choruses acted proved a vey attractive feature of the programme.

At the close of the programme Mr. W. H. Elkington proposed a hearty vote of thanks to the performers who had given such a fine entertainment, and this was heartily applauded.

A supper was served to those taking part in the entertainment by a local committee of the Red Cross Society.

Dancing was indulged in till 1 p.m., Mrs. Watt's orchestra from Ladysmith supplying the music.

NANAIMO RED CROSS

NANAIMO, June 8.—The local Red Cross Society acknowledge the following donations during the past month: Bastion Chapter, I. O. D. E., $500 for the British Red Cross; Canadian Explosives, Ltd., $125; employees of the Canadian Explosives, $15.05; school children, $15.50 for prisoners of war fund; Knights of Pythias, $9.50; Miss Elsie Wood, forty gallons of gasoline; Miss Beckley, 50 cents; Mr. R. Marshall, 50 cents; Mrs. E. Gribble, pair of hand-made curtains; P. T. E. of Baptist Church, 16 pairs of socks; Miss Davidson's class, 15 pairs of socks; High School, for work sent in. In connection with the parade on May 24th the Society wish to thank Mr. Carrigan and Mr. A. Wilkinson for building the float, Mr. N. McFarlane for the use of the auto truck, and Mrs. Ingham, Messrs. Weeks, Irvine and McGirr for use of autos. The society has ready for shipment three cases of supplies, which contain the following articles: 136 pairs of socks, 26 pajames and 40 military kit bags. The sum of $58.50 is being forwarded to the prisoners of war fund.

ISLAND JOTTINGS

High Mass for the repose of the soul of Father Rondeault was sung by Father Schoelen on Tuesday morning at St. Ann's church, Cowichan, and afterwards there was a procession to his grave behind the church. This ceremony marks the sixtieth anniversary of the arrival of the pioneer missionary in Cowichan, June 5th, 1858.

At a special meeting of the Cowichan Great War Veterans' Association on Saturday last, Comrade J. G. Morley was selected as delegate to the national convention in Toronto at the end of July. Comrade H. Parker was nominated alternative delegate.

Mrs. M. Hemmingsen, Cowichan Lake, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Duncan Hospital last week and is now progressing favorably.

The Shaker (Indian) Church at Koksilah was the scene of much instruction and feasting from Friday to Monday last, about 200 Indians taking part in both these exercises. Preachers were present from Washington, U.S.A., Vancouver, Musquiam, Saanich, Esquimalt and other island points. At the funeral of Michale's daughter on Friday the visitors donated the sum of $20 to purchase the headstone for the grave.

Mr. C. Wallich, who, as in former years, is very busy these days preparing for the Cowichan Bay fete and aquatic sports on Dominion Day, has been notified by the C.P.R. that the Princess Mary will be the boat to run from Victoria to the bay and back on the excursion.

Mr. A. A. B. Herd had a narrow escape from colliding with Mr. H. C. Mann's car last Thursday near Tyee.

Lieut. A. C. Alan-Williams, Warwickshire Yeomanry, was recently promoted to the rank of captain on the field. Lieut. Alan-Williams hails from Salt Spring Island.

It is understood that Pte. A. H. Lomas, who is on leave pending discharge, will take up a position as fire warden at Cowichan Lake. He was in the forestry service there before he enlisted and recently returned home wounded from the front.

Mr. A. E. Masuret, at Tyee Mill, has contributed the percentage granted him by North Cowichan Council for collection of road tax, amounting to $3.25, to the Red Cross.

One engine hauling freight on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railroad has been transformed into a coal burner. There may be others. This is owing to the fuel oil situation.

The arrangements for the forthcoming Blue Cross fete at Quamichan Lake on July 18th are now well in hand. Lady Barnard has promised to open the proceedings. Now that the French Government have handed the care of their war dogs to the Blue Cross there is greater need for aid to enable the society to do its duty towards all dumb animals in the war zone.

South Cowichan Lawn Tennis Club has seen an addition of some twenty-seven in membership already this year and now have about eighty members. A club match with Duncan is being arranged, and it is hoped a similar match can be arranged with Victoria.

OPERATIC SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

NANAIMO, June 8.—The Nanaimo Operatic Society held its reorganization meeting last evening preliminary to the coming season, when it is contemplated to present several new operas elected: Honorary president, Dr. Tember. The following are the officers elected: Honorar ypresident, Dr. W. F. Drysdale; president, N. H. Freeman; vice-president, Mr. Rufus; secretary, Miss Gordon; treasurer, J. F. R. McGill; stage manager, A. A. Davis; assistant stage manager, Fred Spencer; musical director, J. L. Reynolds; assistant musical director, Miss G. Morgan; wardrobe committee, Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Peto, Mrs. C. A. Bate; business managers, H. N. Freeman and A. A. Davis; executive committee, Mrs. Drysdale, Miss Dobson, Mrs. Freeman, F. Spencer, J. L. Reynolds and J. D. Galloway.

The meeting was largely attended and no less than twenty-five new members were enrolled.

CHEMAINUS NEWS

Yet Hong Kam, a Chinaman of about 55 years of age, who had been in the country some seven years, and who was employed as cook at the V. L. & M. Company's logging camp, met his death under the wheels of the logging train last week.

A fire started under the V. L. & M. Company's mill near the engine room last week. It was quickly put out, but not before it had done a considerable amount of damage. The big main belt in the mill was burnt and the mill has been shut down since. Another belt is expected to arrive shortly from Seattle, the size being eighty feet long, four feet broad and one inch thick.

On Saturday last Acting Police Magistrate Dickinson imposed a fine of $5 and costs on Harold Robinson, a young boy who works on Mainguy Island, for carrying a gun without a license on the farm of Mr. William Thomas, of Chemainus. Accused pleaded guilty and said that he was ignorant of the law.

The Lewisville hotel is now open and in good running order. Visitors last week were Mr. P. J. Pearson, Mr. G. McMullen, Mr. G. A. McTavish, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McTavish, Mr. C. S. McTavish, Miss M. D. Estridge and Mr. F. Van Norman.

Mrs. Maurice Halhed and son spent the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Halhed. Miss Halhed is home from Resthaven for a holiday.

Among those mentioned in General Haig's recent dispatches is Brigadier-General F. W. Griesbach, son of the late Colonel Griesbach and of Mrs. Griesbach, Chemainus.

COWICHAN LAKE NOTES

The Rev. G. A. Bagshaw and the Rev. F. G. Christmas came up to the lake last Saturday to see what arrangements could be made for holiday services at the lake during the Summer months. Mr. and Mrs. R. Beach have consented to give the use of the hall free for this purpose.

An enjoyable evening was spent at Mrs. Scholey's last week. Mrs. H. T. Hardinge won the ladies' first prize for whist and Mr. R. Beech the gentlemen's prize. Music and cards were kept up till an early hour.

Mrs. Carmichael and Mrs. Simons, of Toronto, are spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Beech.

Pte. J. E. Burke was up for a few days last week.

Mr. F. Lomas, of Duncan, is spending a few days in the district.

Visitors last week at the lake were: Captain David Scott, Glasgow, Scotland; Lieut. W. L. S. Cocker, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. McKay, Mrs. M. T. Reynolds, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Meulland, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Hastings, Hong Kong; Mr. H. E. Beyneu, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dyer, Shanghai; Mrs. Henry Noyes, Miss and Master Noyes, Melbourne, Australia; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bird, Vancouver; Mr. G. D. Ford and Miss Foster, Nanaimo.

SIDNEY TO KICK

Sidney also has a kick with regards to the service given by the C. P. R. S.S. Island Princess. The following is a clipping from the Sidney Review: "We regret to announce that the schedule of the C. P. R. S.S. Island Princess as far as Sidney is concerned is most disappointing. They do us the honor of calling on Monday, but on the other days of the week, excepting Wednesday, when we are listed as a flag call, we are entirely ignored. If the C. P. R. imagine that we are going to take this slight without protest they are liable to a mistake. The local Board of Trade will get busy and make a big noise and see improvements. Already one large shipment has been routed over another line through a feeling that our rights have been overlooked. Strong representations will no doubt be made to the C. P. R. to arrange a schedule more in keeping with our industrial needs.

PARKSVILLE INSTITUTE

PARKSVILLE, June 8.—The Parksville Women's Institute held their monthly meeting on June 5th, and there was a large attendance. Mrs. MacGill, of Vancouver, gave very interesting talks on "Party and Responsible Government" and the "Welfare of Children." She stated that the Government had taken this department in hand and it was run on a very large and elaborate scale in Vancouver. Arrangements were made for the flower show, which will be held on July 4th.

LEAVES UNHAPPY HOME

LANGFORD STATION, June 8.—Harry Benson, on returning home yesterday afternoon from work, found a note from his wife stating that she had left for Winnipeg with her two children. The note also stated that she was unhappy and wanted a rest. The police were notified and a search is being made for the missing woman. It is expected she will be found in Victoria visiting friends.

Mr. W. N. Keeling is visiting his parents at Cowichan Station. He has gained his commission in the Royal Air Force and will be returning to Toronto shortly.

NANAIMO NOTES

Mr. Arthur Owen has left for Vancouver, where he will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. Joseph Neen, Nicol Street, left yesterday for a short trip to the Mainland.

Mrs. James Hardy, Victoria Crescent, has left for Vancouver to meet her nephew, Pte. Pearen Woodburn, on his return from overseas. Pte. Woodburn left for the front three years ago with the ambulance corps, and rose to the rank of sergeant, serving as such for two years at Bramley, but reverted in order that he might go across to France. He was wounded last October.

Mr. E. Tunstall of Tunstall & McCuish, who is about to join the colors, has disposed of his interests in the well-known butcher firm on Halliburton Street to William Burnip, who will take an active part in the business on Monday morning.

Miss Florence Isherwood, Miss Mabel Hodgkinson and Miss Myrtle Hodgkinson, Milton Street, left for Vancouver, where they will spend a few days with friends.

Among the passengers from Vancouver last evening on the Princess Patricia were Mr. F. H. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Rose, Mr. Jerry P. E. McGill, Mr. A. H. Nash, Mr. J. Muir, Mr. T. W. Martindale, Mrs. M. A. Rowe, Mr. Milton McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. DeCoeur.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Holman have left for a short trip to the mainland.

A party of returned soldiers, including Harold Hackwood, of Nanaimo, left Halifax on Tuesday last for British Columbia. They are expected to reach Vancouver Monday night.

The comic sketch "Up Caesar's Creek," written especially for young boys from the "Adventures of Tom Sawyer," will be produced by St. Paul's Institute under the direction of Mrs. Fred G. Peto on Thursday, June 27th, and Saturday, June 29th.

Mrs. Menzies is spending a few days in the city visiting friends. She expects to return to her home in Vancouver shortly.

Mrs. Egdell came over from the Mainland yesterday.

Four pupils of the Provincial Government Mine Rescue and Training Station, who have undergone a course of training in the local school maintrained for the purpose of perfecting miners in a knowledge of rescue work in mines, have been successful in obtaining certificates of proficiency in this most necessary work. They are Robert Laird, William Holliday, George Wallace and Richard Nicol.

At the time of the issue of the Victory Bonds the pupils of the High School clubbed together and purchased a fifty-dollar Victory bond. This they will now raffle, all proceeds to go to the Red Cross Society.

DUNCAN NEWS

Consolidation of Schools

DUNCAN, June 8.—A deputation from the North Cowichan School Board interviewed Dr. McLean, Minister of Education, on Saturday last with regard to the consolidation of schools. The deputation stated the difficulties and asked for a solution, intimating that the report of Inspector Bruce regarding consolidation was satisfactory to all concerned. Dr. McLean found that the existing Act did not permit the consolidation of a portion of the school territory in an organised district with another district. The Minister impressed on the deputation that the Department have no wish to initiate nor to press this movement, but that if the people desire it they would have the most hearty co-operation and assistance. A committee has been appointed to go into the financial aspects and submit a full data to a meeting later.

Miss Macdonald, of Crofton; Miss Sibyl Hardwick, of Maple Bay; Misses N. Smith Dickinson and Barr have either sent in their resignation or been granted twelve months' leave of absence.

Professor Lionel Stevenson was in Duncan last week and consulted with the Board of Trade representatives concerning the excursion which is planned to take place to the Experimental farm, Saanich, shortly.

Cheerful indications of the activities of the V. I. Flockmasters' Association is to be seen in the big bales of wool which are beginning to arrive at the old Agricultural Hall, in readiness for the co-operative grading and wool sale.

The Cowichan Women's Institute room has been placed at the disposal of the National Registration registrar for use on June 22nd. The members of the Institute and the I.O.D.E. have offered their services in this work.

Miss Anita Woodward has decided to stay with Messrs. McAdam & Dickie, and not leave for Courtenay.

Mr. E. J. Hearn, Victoria, formerly in the employ of the Tyee Copper Company in the days of mining in Cowichan, was a recent visitor in the city.

Mrs. G. Saxton White is staying with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. B. Holmes, Duncan, having returned here after a year spent in California with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Saxton.

The B. C. Holstein Friesian Association will meet in Duncan on Thursday, June 20th. Approximately twenty-five members will be present and they anticipate pleasure and profit from their gathering.

Mr. J. Goodfellow, superintendent of the E. & N. Railway, has notified the Duncan Board of Trade that the railway cannot make a change in the service, "at present at any rate." The change requested was that the Sunday afternoon trains should cross at Duncan at 5:40, thus giving week-end visitors to Shawnigan and Duncan a longer stay.

The Scattered Circle of King's Daughters have re-elected Miss M. Wilson as district secretary and elected to the board of directors of the King's Daughters hospital Mr. W. H. Elkington, chairman; Mrs. W. H. Elkington, Mrs. J. H. Whittome, Miss Wilson and Mrs. F. H. Price.

SIDNEY RED CROSS

SIDNEY, June 8.—The annual general meeting of the Sidney and District branch of the Red Cross will be held in the Red Cross Room on Thursday afternoon, June 20th, at 4 o'clock. The treasurer of the local branch acknowledges the following donations: Mrs. Lustig, $1; Mrs. Munt, $1; Mrs. Douglas, $1; Mrs. Mann, $2; Mrs. Veith, $6; S. Brethour, $2; Mrs. S. Brethour, $2; S. Brethour, $1; Mrs. Wemyss, $2.

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SIDNEY DISTRICT NEWS

Mrs. G. S. Brandon, of Victoria, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. Parkin.

Mr. S. H. Mitchell, secretary-treasurer of the Alpine Club of Canada, leaves Monday for Banff, Alta., where he will spend the summer months in connection with club work.

Mr. A. V. Porter, Dominion Telegraph and Telephone Inspector, is in the city. He is supervising the repairing of the James Island cable.

Mr. R. Collie was in Victoria last week-end.

Lady Lake, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan, arrived in the city last week with her children to spend the summer months with her sister, Mrs. Sidney Kelley.

Mr. W. H. M. May, of the Department of Education, was a visitor in the city last week on a visit of inspection to the North Saanich and Sidney schools..

Mr. and Mrs. James Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Porter, of Medicine Hat, spent a short visit in the city last week.

Mr. H. Smith and daughter, Miss L. Smith, with Mrs. T. Giddens, of Victoria, are visiting in Sidney for a short vacation with Mrs. G. Engledew.

Miss Winnie Winterburn spent the week-end in town with Mrs. Engledew.

SALT SPRING ISLAND NOTES

The home of Mrs. Dunn-Halley, North Salt Spring, was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering on Empire Day. A tennis tournament was held during the day, for which first place was keenly contested. A grocery raffle was conducted, which was won by Mrs. W. H. B. Medd. The proceeds, $80, were given to the Red Cross. At Fulford Harbor a similar celebration was given, which netted $60.

Mrs. Andrew Smith and son have returned home from Victoria.

Mr. Gordon Thompson has left for Victoria after spending a short holiday on the Island.

Madame Bion, son and niece left last week for Winnipeg, where Madame Bion intends leaving her niece to undergo treatment for paralysis, and then going to the States to meet her husband, Captain Bion.

MILITARY DESERTERS

NANAIMO, June 8.—Frank Moore and James Donaghy were placed under arrest yesterday by Dominion Constable Miller for failing to report as required by the Military Service Act. Upon being charged before Magistrate C. H. B. Potts they pleaded guilty and were remanded in custody to await the arrival of a military escort.

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DOMINION TELESCOPE SEARCHING THE STARS

Observers Busy Almost Nightly at Saanich Mountain—Spectra Hunting Easy Here—Open to Public Tuesday.

Now that the big 72-inch reflecting telescope at Saanich is engaged almost nightly in observation work by the Astronomer-in-Chief, Dr. J. S. Plaskett, and his assistant, and in view of the informal opening of the observatory which is to take place on Tuesday evening next, a short description of the mammoth instrument seems appropriate.

People have become accustomed to the indefinite postponement of events since the war came to turn things topsy-turvy, and the non-arrival during nearly four years of the long-promised 72-inch mirror probably excited much less comment than it would have done in normal times, but after many moons the hoped-for has happened, and the giant lens is at last installed and in its appointed place, doing the work for which it was designed.

The glass was cast in Belgium and shipped across to this country just about the time that the war broke out, fortunately just soon enough to avoid suffering by the disorganization of shipping caused by the German submarine menace. The history of the polishing, testing, repolishing and retesting through all the precarious stages and exacting examinations has quite recently been given in these columns, but the anxiety of the process is now almost forgotten in the satisfaction which Dr. Plaskett and those closely concerned in the manufacture of the lens feel now that it is here.

Has Hole in Centre

Although generally called a 72-inch mirror, the exact measurement of the diameter is seventy-three inches, the glass being twelve inches thick at the edge, having a hole ten and one-eighth inches in diameter through the centre, and weighs some 4,340 pounds. It is finished on the edges and at the back, and its front surface is a paraboloid of revolution, this being the surface necessary to bring the parallel pencil of light from any celestial object accurately to a focus.

The mounting (framework) of the telescope was completed and set up here nearly two years ago, the erection of the huge parts being a difficult as well as slow process. No exact record has been kept of the number of people who have visited the observatory just to see the mechanical parts of the big instrument, but it is estimated that thousands have made the trip up the mountain since these were installed. Although there has been no lens until within the last few weeks, there was doubtless a great measure of satisfaction to many people just to be given the privilege of seeing the observatory building, and the amazing mobility of the giant machine, which on occasion Dr. Plaskett set in motion for the enlightenment of interested visitors. An unparalleled view of the surrounding country, it should be added, is not one of the minor attractions to lure good walkers as well as motorists to the summit of the mountain, the fine road completed by the British Columbia Government early in the Spring of 1915 being constructed in such a way that one of the very finest panoramas in North America lies spread beneath.

For the past year Dr. and Mrs. Plaskett have been in residence at the top of the mountain, and set in the midst of the wild beauty of nature are the cultivated gardens which surround their pretty home so near the clouds. One of the mechanics is also in residence there, and when original intentions are found possible of fulfilment there will be additions to the colony of "observatory attaches," which will make of the summit a small settlement.

From the housekeeper's point of view the problem of water supply at such a height would come in for first consideration. This is pumped up from the foot of the mountain, and is delicious spring water of crystal purity.

The Building

The concrete pier for carrying the telescope and the surrounding circular steel building whose wall serves to support the dome, was commenced in the summer of 1915. One of the essential features about the building and dome is that they are entirely of steel construction, which allows them to assume rapidly the air temperature. And they are provided with double walls and a system of louvres at the top of the dome, ensuring a thorough circulation of the air and the maintenance of the interior at a shade temperature.

A contract for the sixty-six-foot revolving dome, which is the case of a large reflecting telescope is a most important part of the equipment, was awarded to the Warner & Swasey Co., so that the dome and telescope were designed together and work in perfect relation one to the other.

The Telescope

The telescope is to be used in three different forms, observations being made at the prime focus, at the Newtonian focus, or at the Cassegrain focus. In the photography of the heavenly bodies or in obtaining spectra of very faint objects, the photographic plate of small spectograph may be placed at the upper end of the tube in the prime focus, thirty feet above the great mirror. In the Newtonian form a plane mirror nineteen inches in diameter, about four feet down the tube and inclined at 45 degrees, reflects the light to a focus on the plate or spectograph at the side of the tube. In the Cassegrain form a convex mirror nineteen inches in diameter, placed seven feet below the prime focus, reflects the light back through the central hole of the main mirror to a focus below the mirror cell, where it can be visually observed, photographed or analyzed by the spectograph. The equivalent focal length of this combination is 105 feet, giving images exactly the same size as a reflector with a tube 105 feet long.

The function of the mechanical parts or mounting of this or any telescope is to hold the optical parts invariably, and at the same time without flexure or strain, in their correct relative positions, to enable them to be readily pointed to any desired object, and to move them as a whole delicately and accurately to follow the motion of the stars. Evidently in the case of a great telescope like the 72-inch, whose moving parts weigh some forty-five tons, this is an engineering problem of a very exacting character. The previous experience of the makers in the design and construction of the largest refracting telescopes in the world, the Yerkes 40-inch, the Lick 36-inch, and many others has been of great value in this connection. Further, the great advances in recent years in the production of high-grade steel castings, in the manufacture of bearings in which friction has been reduced to a minimum, and in other directions, has enabled a telescope to be constructed which is not only considerably larger in size but is superior in design, in accuracy and in convenience and smoothness of operation to any existing instrument.

The telescope has a long polar axis supported at its north and south ends by bearings in a direction parallel to the earth's axis. The declination axis, to which the tube isattached at right angles, passes rectangularly through the central cubical portion of the polar axis, the weight of the tube on the one side being counterpoised by the declination gearing and housing on the other.

Three Sections

The polar axis is composed of three sections, all of the best steel castings, firmly bolted together. It is nearly 33 feet long, and weighs about ten tons. The declination axis is a steel forging, five and a quarter tons in weight, fourteen and one-half feet long and fifteen and a half inches in diameter, with a flange forty-one inches in diameter and four inches thick, to which the tube is bolted. The tube is also in three sections, and to its bottom flange is bolted the steel mirror-cell, weighing, with mirror counterpoises and mirror, six tons. To the upper end is firmly attached the skeleton tube, an extremely rigid piece of structural work about 23 feet long and weighing, with attachments, about two tons.

Below the mirror-cell the spectrograph and visual appliances for use at the Cassegrain focus are attached. These can be plainly seen in one of the accompanying photographs. At the upper end of the skeleton tube an exceedingly ingenious arrangement, avoiding the use of several heavy and awkward extensions of the skeleton tube which were necessary with all previous reflectors, enables either the prime focus, Newtonian or Cassegrain attachments to be used at will and, with the minimum of trouble and delay in changing from one to the other.

Driving Clock

The driving clock, similar in design to that which has been so successful in the Lick and Yerkes telescopes, moves the telescope in right ascension by means of an accurately cut worm-wheel nine feet in diameter.

The telescope is moved from one position to another and set and guided wholly by electric power, no less than seven motors besides several solenoids and magnetic clutches being required for these motions. The electric wiring and control systems have been very carefully worked out, and the whole system installed in a permanent and yet easily accessible form, giving the maximum of convenience in operation with the minimum of attention and repair.

An operator on the observing floor controls the quick motions and clamps of the telescope and the rotation of the dome from the more convenient of the two switchboards, one on the east and the other on the west side of the south pier, the telescope being quickly set approximately to the tabular position of the desired object by the sidereal and declination setting circles.

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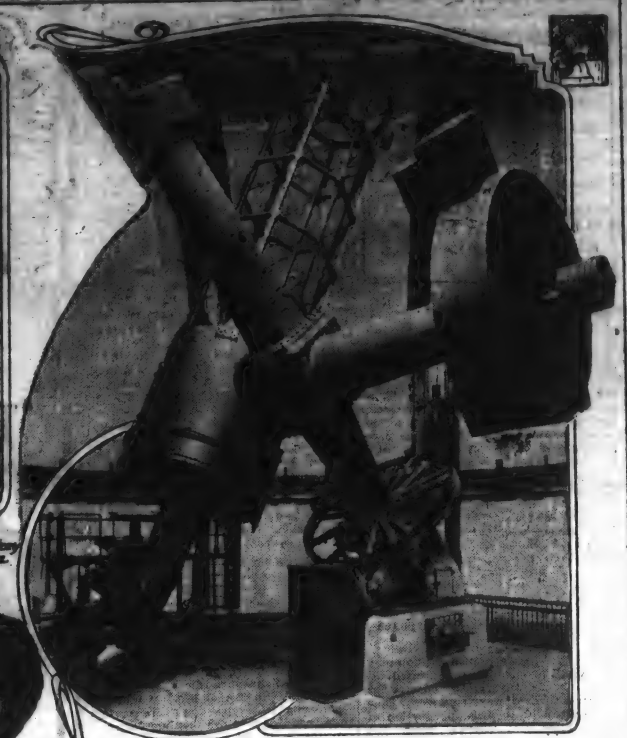
Every attachment that will add to the convenience and accuracy of operation of the telescope has been provided, and the instrument can be handled with great ease and moves with great smoothness. A very slight pressure at the upper end of the tube suffices to set the great mass of 45 tons in motion, so perfect is the design and workmanship of the instrument.

Dr. Plaskett states that Victoria has more than passed expectations in respect to favorable conditions for observation and spectra research work, and it is to be hoped that the skies condescend to reveal themselves at their best when the distinguished astronomers, Dr. Campbell, Director of Lick Observatory, Dr. Adams, Director of Mt. Wilson Observatory, Dr. Brashear, and other men of science, visit the observatory next week.

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DR. J. S. PLASKETT, B.A., D.SC., F.R.S.C. Dominion Astronomer in Charge of the Observatory

B. C. E. R. Arbitrator.

VANCOUVER, June 8.—A new appointee in the person of Frederick Buscombe, a former mayor of this city, was named by the B. C. E. R. Company as their arbitrator on the conciliation board which will adjudicate the question of increased wages for the street carmen. It was found late on Thursday that C. J. Franklin, who had been the original appointee by the company on the board, could not act, as he is not a British subject.

Aerial Post in France

PARIS, June 8.—Aerial lines from Paris to Nazarre and from Paris to Nice are being studied by the postal administration, while eventual extension of the aero service to London is under consideration.

CHICAGO, June 8.—"Chick" Evans and Warren K. Wood, the Western team, defeated the East... Represented by Jerome D. Travers and John G. Anderson, five up and three to play, in an exhibition match over the Ravisloe course for the benefit of the Red Cross. A gallery of 3,000 watched the play and swelled the receipts.

WILL STRIKE IF COUNCIL DELAYS

Civic Employees to Declare Walkout Unless They Are Officially Told Conciliation Plan Is Adopted.

Unless the City Council takes definite action tomorrow night in accepting the decision of a board of conciliation as binding in the wage dispute, and so informs the Civic Employees' Protective Association by noon Tuesday, there will be a strike. About 250 employees of the city, both men and women, will be affected.

The Civic Employees' Protective Association held a meeting last night in the City Hall, and the 200 members present unanimously decided that such action was the only way to force the hands of the Mayor and aldermen in getting their long-standing grievances settled once and for all.

There are strong indications, however, that the City Council will formally adopt the conciliation plan at tomorrow night's meeting, as the Streets Committee, composed of a majority of the aldermen, decided on Friday that such a course was the only one for the Council to follow. In the event of the Council taking this action, of course, there will be no walkout, although it was specifically stipulated in the Protective Association's resolution that the Association must so be notified; otherwise, no matter what the Council may tell the Minister of Labor or anyone else, there will be trouble.

Backed by Labor Council

Messrs. Alex. Watchman and Joseph Taylor, representing the Trades and Labor Council, appeared before the association last night and endorsed the resolution. They pledged the support of organized labor throughout the city and district, and declared the unions were ready to back the city employees to the limit.

The civic employees have received their charter from the Dominion Trades Congress, and they constitute now a full-fledged union. There are approximately 250 members, comprising 95 per cent of the persons employed by the city, and 75 per cent of them work outside the city hall. The firemen and school teachers are not included.

It is claimed by members of the association that the City Council has already violated one provision of the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act by neglecting to forward to the Association without delay notification as to its attitude relative to the conciliation board.

The employees have already nominated five persons as suitable members of the proposed board. The executive has been entrusted with making the final choice.

Following is the text of the resolution passed:

Text of Resolution

"Whereas the Civic Employees did in December, 1917, present a petition to the City Council asking certain increases in salaries and wages to the Civic Employees and were promised consideration;

"And whereas, in January, 1918, the Civic Employees' Protective Association did again ask for an increase in the salaries and wages according to a schedule at that time presented to the City Council, and were again promised consideration;

"And, whereas, the City Council did, as from April 1, 1918, grant an increase which did not comply with our request nor satisfy our requirements;

"And whereas in April, 1918, the Civic Employees' Protective Association did notify the City Council of their intention to apply to the Federal Department of Labor for a board of conciliation under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act, and asking their concurrence, and received no reply;

"And whereas in May, 1918, the said Association did make such application to the Minister of Labor, and duly supplied the City Council with a copy of the same as required by the act;

Consistently Ignored

"And whereas the City Council up to the present time has failed to notify the association of their concurrence or otherwise in our request for a board of conciliation, and indeed has consistently ignored our communications in connection with the question of wages and salaries;

"Therefore be it resolved, that if this association be not officially notified by the City Council not later than 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, June 11, 1918, of their concurrence in said application, and an intimation as to whether the finding of such board would be binding on the City Council, then this association immediately take steps to withdraw their said application from the Department of Labor and a walkout be declared."

PREMIER AND HOUSE MEMBERS TO SPEAK

Hon. John Oliver, Dr. Tolmie, Mr. J. C. McIntosh, and Probably Mr. R. F. Green, Before Board of Trade.

Premier John Oliver, Dr. S. F. Tolmie and Mr. J. C. McIntosh, representatives of Victoria and Nanaimo in the Federal House, will address the Board of Trade Thursday evening.

The Dominion Government's plan for the development of British Columbia will be dealt with by the three speakers, and the Premier is expected to disclose his impressions of the Canadian Northern situation. He will describe his interviews with Hon. Dr. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals, and will make special reference to the proposed Colwood-Sooke extension into the Nitinat country, where 3,000,000 feet of airplane spruce are awaiting shipment and several logging outfits are busy getting out more of the timber. What the Province can do towards persuading the Federal authorities to take action in the matter Mr. Oliver will endeavor to explain.

Dr. Tolmie and Mr. McIntosh will also talk on Federal issues, British Columbia's shipbuilding prospects and the public works that are to be undertaken. Mr. R. F. Green, M. P. for Kootenay, who returned to Victoria Friday, is being invited to speak, so that all three Federal members resident in the city will probably be present.

The meeting is the first one to be held by the Board of Trade in the evening for several years. It will commence at 8 o'clock.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Continuation of the work of the Alaskan railway was practically reassured today, when a sub-committee of the House appropriations committee recommended additional funds. The appropriation would enable the present force of approximately 3,000 workmen to continue at work.



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GERMANY PREPARES FOR ANOTHER WAR

LONDON, June 8.—(British Admiralty per Wireless Press.)—The well-informed correspondent of Humanite, on the German-Swiss frontier, says the German authorities have just sent out a confidential circular, which indicates that the preparations are already being made for the next war.

This official circular is addressed to the men and women "who have voluntarily and gratuitously placed themselves at the disposal of the charitable service since and during this war."

Each circular is accompanied by a question form, which is returnable to the authorities. The principal question is: "Are you prepared to engage yourself from now for the same service for the next war?"

DECLARES TREASON RAMPANT IN AUSTRIA

AMSTERDAM, June 8.—The Vienna correspondent of the Weser Zeitung, a radical newspaper of Bremen, says that in a sensational speech Dr. Weiskerchner, burgomaster of Vienna, declared:

"High treason and ingratitude are rampant and the government has proved weak and unsteady. In the present serious time we need a parliament, for even a bad parliament is better than none. It is true that parliament failed to deal with the food question, but it remains the only platform for free speech and the only place where the arbitrary acts of the bureaucracy and the numerous military encroachments can be destroyed. The supreme and most urgent duty of the German parties now is to show a united front to Slav treachery."

WELCOMES NEW PASTOR

NANAIMO, June 8.—Rev. Mr. Balderston arrived in the city yesterday to enter upon his pastorate of the Haliburton Street Methodist Church, and last evening he was given a reception at the parsonage by the officials and friends of the church, and a most pleasant evening was spent.

Miner Killed

NANAIMO, June 8.—Mr. Louis Charlis, an old-time resident of Ladysmith, was killed in No. 1 mine, at Extension last evening by a fall of coal. An inquest is being held in Ladysmith this afternoon.

Will Deport Alien Anarchists

WASHINGTON, June 7.—All alien anarchists in the United States will be rounded up for immediate deportation under a resolution favorably reported today to the House by the Immigration Committee. Present laws forbid their deportation if they have been here for five years.

PANTAGES
Monday PICTURE Tuesday
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At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS TOMORROW

Stage
Princess—"The King of the Cannibal Isles."
Screen
Royal Victoria—Maurice Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird."
Variety — "The Whispering Chorus."
Dominion—William Farnum in "The Heart of a Lion."
Columbia—"The Divorcee."
Romano—Ella Hall in "Beauty in Chains."
Pantages — Bessie Love in "The Sawdust Ring."

ROYAL VICTORIA Maurice Maeterlinck, the "Belgian Shakespeare," the world-famed philosopher, tells how happiness may be found in his wonderful symbolical play, "The Blue Bird," which has been picturised most elaborately for Artcraft pictures by Maurice Tourneur, one of the most celebrated directors in the cinema world. This superproduction will be displayed at the Royal Victoria Theatre Monday.

The story of "The Blue Bird" is a philosophical dissertation upon life, in which all things are endowed with life and speech. The dead awaken, with messages for the living, and the unborn ate shown as they impatiently await their advent into life upon earth. A production of surpassing beauty, with an exquisite theme and a plainly discernible allegory, so clearly interpreted that the simplest child can appreciate and enjoy the picture.

VARIETY THEATRE An unusual photoplay is being presented at the Variety Theatre for the first three days of this week. This is the Cecil B. De Mille production of "The Whispering Chorus," from the story by Perley Poore Sheehan. It is an unusual picture in many ways. First, the story is different to the usual style of plot presented in pictures; secondly, the production itself is of first importance with the directors, and while no particular star is featured there are no less than six of the big stars of the Famous-Players-Lasky organization playing the principal roles. This is the first of four super-productions to be staged by Cecil B. De Mille, his two previous photoplay spectacles being "Joan the Woman" and "The Woman God Forgot." Among the well-known stars appearing in this production are Kathlyn Williams, Elliott Dexter, Raymond Hatton, Edythe Chapman and James Neill, together with many others who have earned considerable reputation for themselves through many years of excellent work on the stage and screen.

The special musical score of "The Whispering Chorus" will be rendered by the Variety Orchestra under the direction of Benedict Bantly.

DOMINION THEATRE William Farnum is always welcome here. He is particularly welcome in his latest production, "The Heart of a Lion," which commences its three days' run at the Dominion Theatre Monday.

It is a pleasure to see Big Bill go after 'em in his own inimitable way. When he pulls off his coat and rolls up his leeves of his blue shirt, one can rest assured that there's going to be action on the screen and plenty of it. That is what makes "The Heart of a Lion" one of the finest pieces of work Mr. Farnum has ever done.

Credit for good work in this performance should go, too, to Mary Martin, Wanda Petit, Walter Law and William Courtleigh, jr. Mr. Farnum plays the role of Barney Kemper, who discovers that his brother is a scoundrel only after he has found his own sweetheart in Dick's arms. He takes refuge from civilization among the forests and does his best to forget everyone—his brother, his sweetheart, even his God—among the lumbermen.

Dick, however, has been awakened to his true self by his brother's anger. He makes up his mind to study for the ministry. And when he is ordained, his youthful enthusiasm gains for him the place of clergymen in the same camp where Barney now lives.

Barney discovers Dick's presence, but keeps himself closely hidden. When Dick is attacked by the leader of the woodsmen, however, Barney is forced to come to the front, tell the truth to his mates and do his best to bring his brother back to health.

The long struggle against death brings to the fore all of the spiritual qualities which Barney thought he had lost.

"The Heart of a Lion" is taken from Ralph Connor's novel, "The Doctor."

COLUMBIA THEATRE A girl, disliking ministers, falls in love with one, thinking him a cowboy, and a bad man at that. And a minister, disliking divorcees, falls in love with one, only she isn't one, only a society girl posing as one just for excitement in Reno. The vicissitudes of the pair before their love complications finally are straightened out make "The Divorcee," one of the most thrilling tales of life in the Far West seen on the screens today. This Greater Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, which is the attraction at the Columbia Theatre, commencing tomorrow, has a cast of exceptional merit, including Mary Anderson, Alfred Vosburgh, Pliny Goodfriend, Jean Hathaway, and Mrs. Van Der Leith.

The girl's ingenuity is taxed to the limit to convince her divorcee associates she really is a much abused wife, the hardest test being when they demand that she show her marriage certificate. Of course, she has none, but borrows the baby of a friend and quickly silences their suspicions.

The minister also has his troubles which culminate in his being taken for a slage robber. The girl is convinced he is, but seeks to warn him of his danger and both are nearly killed fleeing from the sheriff's posse. There are many realistic scenes, all true to life, and everything turns out happily, when the sheriff recognizes the person as an old friend and the girl's big brother turns up in the cowboy posse.

ROMANO THEATRE Ella Hall, though 20 years old, can still play the parts of a woman or a child. She has been on the stage or in pictures since she was a very little girl, but a glance over her career shows she is progressing consistently, towars greater things. In each picture in which she appears she shows to better advantage, and each time she is given a more advantageous part.

Years ago Ella Hall was chosen by David Belasco to play a principal part in his production of "The Grand Army Man." This was her first stage experience. She understudied Mary Pickford in "The Warrens of Virginia," and following this engagement appeared with Isabel Irving in "The Girl Who Has Everything." While playing with Miss Mabel Taliaferro Miss Taliaferro suggested to her that in motion pictures was the great opportunity for her.

Shortly after this she began her career in pictures. She first worked under the direction of David Griffith with the Biograph for two years. For one year she was with the Reliance under Jack Kirkwood and then joined the Universal forces, where she is now one of Universal's prominent members.

Miss Hall scores her latest and greatest hit in the new Ella Hall production, "Beauty in Chains," which will be run at the Romano Theatre, commencing tomorrow.

PANTAGES THEATRE The Pantages screen will again feature winsome and fascinating Bessie Love on Monday and Tuesday of this week. Her new starring vehicle is entitled 'The Sawdust Ring" and possesses all the outward joy of a visit of the big circus to town and in addition many of the lights and shadows of the performers' sphere in the comedy drama of life. Wondous as it might seem, the circus in this case becomes the medium for reuniting a father and his daughter, and this is effected in a thrilling episode.

"The Sawdust Ring" will make a picture appeal on account of the elaborateness of the produtcion and the accurateness of circus detail, which brings to mind rollicking events of everyone's youth when no greater joy was to be experienced than the presence in the home town of "The Greatest Show on Earth." It is more than that, however, for the scenes are filled with human interest touches that makes it a pulsating drama-picture.

Next week's picture will be the great Triangle feature production, "The Flame of the Yukon." It is the story of a woman of fire, ablaze with untamed spirit—until she meets the stranger. It is one of the most vigorous dramas of the gold-mad days of the "rush" of '98. Dorothy Dalton will be seen in the role of the "flame." This photoplay will come one week from tomorrow.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE OF RED CROSS PLAY

Unusual Success and Urgent Appeal From Public Combine to Have "King of Cannibal Isles" Again Monday Night.

So insistent were the requests from the numbers who had been unable to attend the Princess Theatre last week before Saturday night, and came then only to find the house sold out, it was decided last night by the Red Cross players that they would give one more presentation of "The King of the Cannibal Isles." This will be offered Monday night. The play will be repeated in its entirety, all of the artists and the splendid orchestra having willingly consented to give of their time for one more evening.

Mr. R. N. Hincks has been freely complimented on the very fine entertainment he has given amusement lovers in "The King of the Cannibal Isles." The production is replete with local color, blended into a fancy of a tropical setting. Homey allusions pop out from the least expected places, and the lyrics, which were written by Mr. Hincks to give the rollicking musical interpolations a peculiarly catchy significance, possess freshness of interest such as rarely attained in travelling attractions. The music of the play is one of its particularly pleasing interests. The numbers are songs, or their adaptations, which have been splendidly selected to suit the theme of the story, with music of the haunting order that clings to the memory long after the performance is listened to. A string orchestra of a dozen or more pieces arranged by Mrs. Huntley Green contributes tremendously to this feature of the enjoyment under the direction of Mr. Frank Sehl.

The settings and the costumes, and the popular artists themselves, give that personal touch that excites a highly responsive attitude on the part of the audiences, and this is why the production has met with more than usual success. The special performance of the play on Monday night will mean an opportunity to hundreds who have not yet seen the play, or who have seen it, and as a consequence would care particularly about attending another presentation. It will provide, the management hopes, yet more funds for the Red Cross, for this is the real purpose of those who have contributed to the success of it.


Carol Holloway plays one of the big roles in "The Fighting Trail," the stirring serial picture now showing at the Columbia Theatre.

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GORGE PARK

The Smart Set have arranged some special programes for next week. The first half of the week the show will conclude with the laughable sketch, "The Snowstorm." The latter part of the week the company will appear in an Old Country Pierrot show, closing with a sketch entitled "Pierrot Justice." In addition to these special attractions, the management has secured the services of two well-known Winnipeg children, who will appear at each performance during the week.

Illness of Mrs. Sheppard

NEW YORK, June 8.—Mrs. Finley J. Sheppard, formerly Miss Helen J. Gould, is seriously ill with appendicitis at her home on Fifth Avenue. Physicians hoped an operation may be avoided.

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HERE'S A RECOMMENDATION THAT MEANS A LOT. *By Margaret E. Sangster, in the Christian Herald.*

¶ Some people—many people, know the story of Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird." Everybody should know it. And now that the producers of Artcraft Pictures have put the story into a perfect picture, there is no reason why everyone should not know it.

¶ The Christian Herald does not often feel that it can heartily endorse a film, for many film stories are, regrettably, not the sort of thing that one could take one's small, or older, son or daughter to see. But "The Blue Bird" is the sort of film that holds a lesson worth learning. It is the kind of a film few people have dreamed of producing—an idealistic picture made real by splendid acting and remarkable photography.

¶ Several points stand out from the story—stand out by sheer beauty of word and action. When the children go at twelve o'clock to the graveyard to see the dead arise—when they tiptoe fearfully in through the door and walk in frightened silence, past the yawning tombs, one can perfectly understand why folk fear death. But, when suddenly the graves burst forth into blossoms and the roses and lilies grow fragrantly all about, one sees the Easter story retold in a marvelous way. For the little boy, astounded, asks—"Where are the dead?" and the girl-child, with a triumphant smile upon her face answers—"There are no dead!"

¶ The moving picture has come to stay—come to stay with its unlimited possibilities for good or for evil. And "The Blue Bird" is the sort of picture that cannot fail to do unlimited good. It will be a delight to children, but only the grown-ups can read their lives into the search for Happiness. It will be a dream, a fairy-tale come true, to your boy or girl; but to you it will be the meaning of life, told poetically, but none the less truly.

¶ "The Blue Bird" is a milestone in the production of motion pictures. We hope for more pictures of the same sort.

"The Fighting Trail"

Episode 2—"The Story of Ybarra"

Von Bleck walked hurriedly back to his office, donned his hat and coat, and strode out, leaving the others in the inner office, conferring. That could mean nothing until they heard from their superior.

Ten minutes later, Von Bleck was walking into the building in which was located the office of John Gwyn. He had, mapped carefully out in his mind, a proposition with which he intended to startle the young engineer. It was a proposition which would make Gwyn independently wealthy for the remainder of his life—and all that would be necessary for him to do would be to cancel the cinnabar contract.

As he passed through the revolving doors and walked toward the elevators, a crowd was surging toward the street. One of these, a young, stalwartly built man, who carried a suit case, fairly rubbed arms with the agent of the Central Powers. It was John Gwyn! Neither took particular notice of the other, they having never previously met. Gwyn went through the door to the street, and Von Bleck entered the elevator, to be driven upward to the former's office.

"Is Mr. Gwyn in?" he inquired of the secretary, as he entered.

"Im sorry, sir," was the reply, "but Mr. Gwyn just left a few minutes ago for an indefinite stay in the West. He was just in to clear up a few matters and left with his suit case. Is it something important? Perhaps I could help you. He has left me in charge, and ——"

"It is important," Von Bleck broke in, "and I can see no one but Mr. Gwyn himself. When does his train leave?"

"He goes on the Limited tonight," was the reply.

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Von Bleck was about to leave the office, when his eye caught sight of a picture hanging on the wall in the outer office. He walked over to it casually and scrutinized it. In the foreground was a young man, pipe in mouth, roughly clad in mining attire. Behind him was a stretch of typical mining country.

"Is this your employer?" he questioned.

"That is Mr. Gwyn," the secretary answered.

Von Bleck took another careful look at the picture, and, thanking the young man, left the office.

"Gwyn leaves for the West tonight on the Limited," he told his confreres over the wire. I shall be on the same train. I shall keep in touch with you while I am gone, and, in the meantime, you attend to any other matters that may come up during my absence. As soon as I am able, I shall wire you my address. I may need that five million before I get back."

The Limited was rattling over the rails toward the West with a speed that was astounding. Outside it was already dark, and the lights along the roadbed shot by so fast that they resembled sparks flying up a hearth chimney from blazing logs below. In the smoking compartment at the end of the car, John Gwyn sat, perusing some papers. The portieres parted and Von Bleck entered. He drew a cigar from his pocket and asked Gwyn for a match. The latter silently accommodated him.

"Pretty long and lonesome trip," the Central Powers' agent commented. Gwyn nodded. He was apparently in no mood for striking up acquaintances. But Von Bleck persisted.

"I am going out to 'Frisco," he said. "Maybe you're bound for there, too. My name's Von Bleck; it's nice to know someone on the train."

"My name is Gwyn," the young engineer responded, glancing up from his papers and fearing he might appear impolite by avoiding conversation. "I'm not going to 'Frisco, though. I'm on my way to a place called Lost Mine, in the wilds of the Sierras. Barstow is my getting off point."

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Late that night, when the sleeper was black with darkness, except for the fleeting rays of lights along the track that shone but for the briefest fraction of a second as they passed the ends of the car, a shadowy figure, clad only in a dressing gown, quietly and cautiously emerged from one of the berths. It moved rapidly along until it was outside of Gwyn's compartment; then bent over and peered in. A little pocket flash light suddenly illuminated the car and revealed, had anyone been awake to see it, the dark features of Von Bleck. He covered the end of the light with his hand to dim its rays, and put it between the curtains. Gwyn was sleeping soundly. Von Bleck watched him for a moment to see that he was not aroused by the light, and then, satisfied on that score, reached across his body to a half-opened suit case resting in a rack near the window. Slowly and carefully, so as not to awaken its sleeping owner, he lifted the suit case from the rack and hurried back to his own berth.

For a quarter of an hour, Von Bleck, in the seclusion of his sleeping compartment, studied the contents of Gwyn's bag. A small packet of letters, which had been tucked carefully at the bottom, held his attention the longest. For the most part they were of a personal nature, and contained nothing of interest to him, but finally one caught his eye. It was postmarked "Lost Mine," and was addressed in a flourishing Spanish hand. He opened it:

"Dear Mr. Gwyn,—Am shipping your last order tomorrow. You need have no fear of the supply becoming exhausted for some time to come. When am I to be honored by a visit from you? I trust before long.

"Faithfully yours,

"CARLOS YBARRA."

Von Bleck smiled with triumph as he read the letter. It was the same smile that had played about his lips when he had met with his associates earlier that day. He folded the paper noiselessly and replaced it in the envelope. Then, as if realising the length of time which he had kept Gwyn's suit case, he put the packet of letters back into the bottom of the bag and stole cautiously down the aisle to Gwyn's berth. A glance assured him that its absence had not been noticed. The young engineer was still sleeping heavily. He had been thoroughly tired by the strenuous events of the previous day and his hasty departure. It required but a moment for Von Bleck to lay the suit case back on the rack near the window, where he had found it and to hurry back to his own berth.

Gwyn arose early the following morning, dressed, and used several articles from his bag. He did not notice that it had been tampered with. In the wash room he met Von Bleck, who was attending to his toilet, and nodded to him. The latter returned the salutation and watched keenly from the corners of his eyes to see if Gwyn should appear the least bit suspicious that his belongings had been ransacked. He was greatly relieved to learn that he was not.

Early on the fourth day after leaving New York the Limited drew in the little Western town of Barstow, at the foot of the great range of Sierra Mountains. John Gwyn, his bag packed and his wraps on, was ready to alight and start on his important mission. As soon as the train came to a stop, the young mining engineer jumped lightly from the platform and proceeded to the local hotel, which was located a short distance from the depot. As the Limited changed again, starting on the last lap of its journey to the West, Von Bleck, who had been watching alertly from his seat for Gwyn to depart, jumped from his seat. He darted to the door, suit case in hand, and whispered into the porter's ear, slipping a crisp bill into his hand at the same time. The colored worthy grinned knowingly, and nodded. With a jerk he threw open the vestibule door on the side opposite the station. Von Bleck stepped down, grasped the handrail of the car, and swung out. The train was moving rapidly now, and the jump was perilous. Von Bleck took one glance at the ground flying by under the train, sprang into the air, and went sprawling to earth.

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Don Carlos Ybarra trudged up the last few steps to the summit of the mountain beneath the burden of two heavy wooden cases which he bore upon his shoulders. They were a heavy load for one so old as the rugged Spaniard, but he was strenuous and energetic, and his muscles were hardened by years of rustic living in the West. His gray hairs were no symbol of feebleness. Don Carlos was a man and sturdy and would be until the end. As he reached a clump of bushes beside the footpath on which he was walking, he paused to look suspiciously about for a second, and then parted the shrubbery, revealing the entrance to a spacious cave. He tore his way through the bushes, allowing them to close behind him, depositing the two cases among many more that were hidden in the dark corner of the cavern, and came out again. Once more he looked carefully about him, as if to satisfy himself that no one had been observing his actions, and then started to walk toward a little hacienda several hundred yards away, which served as his mountain dwelling. Precisely at the moment that he turned his back, two glaring eyes, filled with hate, appeared from behind the undergrowth, but a few yards from the cave's entrance. It was "Shoestring" Drant, a human coyote, ever stalking Don Carlos.

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COBBLE HILL NOTES

The South Cowichan branch of the Navy League of Canada was organised at a meeting held on May 29th at Cobble Hill. The branch, which is just over a week old, has already a paid-up membership of twenty-three. The chairman is Colonel Hardy-Wilmot, of Shawnigan Lake, and the honorary secretary treasurer Mr. George Cheeke, of Cobble Hill, who will give all information as to the objects of the league to any residents of the district who may desire to become members.

SALT SPRING ISLAND NOTES

After several months in England, Sergeant F. J. Lowther, of Ganges, has returned to France to rejoin the 7th Battalion, C. E. F.

Miss Kirras, matron of the Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, gave a very successful whist drive on Friday, May 31st, about forty people being present. The sum of $24 was raised, $10 of which will be given to the Red Cross and the balance to be spent in improvements in the hospital grounds.

Corp. E. H. Stanford, South Midland Field Company, R. E., at one time assistant postmaster at Ganges, is in hospital at Newcastle-on-Tyne, suffering from wounds received in the March offensive. This is the second time Corp. Stanford has been wounded and from letters received by some of his friends on the Island he is progressing satisfactorily.

I. O. D. E. Fete

"Royal weather" marked the activities of Lady Franklin Chapter, I. O. D. E., North Salt Spring, on May 24th, when an American tennis tournament and garden fete was held in the grounds of Mrs. J. Dunlop Halley for the benefit of the Red Cross. A miscellaneous stall catered to all tastes, and included a beautiful painting of California flowers. The side shows, quoits and ball-striking did good business and the book guessing and candle competitions were a great attraction. During the afternoon groceries and a silk bag were raffled, tickets for the former selling very rapidly. Tea was dispensed by a band of willing helpers. As a result of the fete the sum of $99 has netted for the Red Cross, and the Chapter takes the opportunity of "thanking those "behind the scenes" who helped to make the event a success.

Prize List: Winning couple, Mr. J. Dunlop Halley (cigarettes), Miss D. Layard (boudoir cap); bandit competition, Mrs. H. Woods (handkerchiefs; book guessing, Mrs. Bond (book); grocery raffle, Mrs. Medd; bag raffle, Miss D. Aitkens.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

MARRIAGES

PEEL-KEENE—On May 4, at St. Michael's Church, Aldershot, Lieut. Guy Neville Peel, Royal Naval Division, to Dorothy, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Keene, Mill Bay.

DEATHS

GARNHAM—At the residence, 600 Toronto Street, on June 7th, Margaret P. Garnham, wife of the late William Garnham, of Colquitz, B.C., and of Montreal, Que. Funeral will take place on Monday next, June 10th, from B.C. Funeral Parlors, and later from Christ Church Cathedral at 11 a.m. Rev. R. Connell will have charge of service. No flowers, by request. Kind friends please accept this notification.

SPRINKLING—On June 7, 1918, at the residence of her son, Mr. D. F. Sprinkling, 430 Luxton Avenue, Jane Sprinkling, aged 88 years; born at Rowden, P.Q. The funeral will take place Monday at 2 p.m. from the above residence, and will proceed to James Bay Methodist Church, where service will be held at 2:15. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CLIFF—On the 7th inst., accidentally, Ivy Margaret Cliff, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cliff, of Armit Street, Esquimalt. The funeral will take place on Monday, the 10th inst., at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Robert Hughes will officiate. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. T. F. Renton wishes to thank the members of the Masonic Order and A.O.F., also all kind friends, for the beautiful floral offerings and kind words of sympathy sent in her recent sad bereavement.

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Mrs. Clayards and Mrs. H. Cameron wish to thank all friends for their kind sympathy in the loss of their dear mother, Mrs. E. M. Gelder, and for lovely floral offerings.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Graduate Nurses' Association will hold dance and card party in Royal Jubilee Hospital, nurses' reception hall, Friday, June 14th, in aid of Nurses' Sick Benefit Fund.

Britannia 216, L.O.B.A.. Special meeting at the home of Mrs. A. J. Warren, 617 Douglas Street, Monday, 8 o'clock sharp. All members requested to attend.

W. B. A. Baxter No. 8, whist drive, Foresters' hall, Broad Street, on Monday, June 10th, at 8:45 for soldiers' comforts. Grocery prizes.

Foresters' Whist Drive this evening, June 8th, in A.O.F. Hall, Broad Street, for soldiers' comforts. Six good prizes and two novelty surprises. Time 8:45 prompt. Be on time and secure a table.

Monday evening, 8 o'clock, Metropolitan Church. An illustrated lecture by Mr. Wright Hill, on the work of the Seamen's Institute. Several musical items. All are welcome.

Maccabees' whist drive for Red Cross work, at Knights of Columbus' Hall, Fort Street, on Tuesday, June 11th, at 8:30. Grocery prizes.

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The Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D. E., will meet in headquarters on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

CHURCH NOTICES

ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral—Holy communion, 8 and 9:30 (choral); matins, 11, preacher, the Dean; evensong, 7, preacher, the Dean; Intercession service, Wednesday, 8:15 p.m.

St. Mary's, Burns Street, Oak Bay—8 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., matins; 3 p.m., children's service; 7 p.m., evensong, Rev. H. S. Payne, M.A.

St. Barnabas' Church—Dedication festival and 28th anniversary, Tuesday, June 17. 8 a.m., holy eucharist; 11 a.m., matins and holy eucharist, preacher, Rev. W. G. Boyd; 8 p.m., evensong, procession, preacher, the Lord Bishop. A cordial welcome to all. Reception at rectory after evening service.

St. James Church, Quebec Street—Sunday, June 9, 1918, 8 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., matins, children's service; 2:45 p.m., Sunday school; 7:30 p.m., evensong. Preacher, Rev. Dr. Gardiner. Rev. H. T. Archbold, B.A., rector.

Royal Jubilee Hospital—Service in the Pemberton Memorial Chapel at 2 p.m. Nurses, patients, members of hospital staff and the general public living in the district cordially invited.

St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West. Rev. R. Connell, rector. At 8 a.m., holy communion; 9:45 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., morning prayer and litany; 7 p.m., evening prayer.

BAPTIST

Emmanuel, Fernwood car terminus—Rev. William Stevenson. Morning, 11, special flower service; sermon, "The Seamless Robe of Jesus"; attendance of children requested. Evening, 7:30; subject, "Camouflage in Religion and Daily Life." All seats free.

Tabernacle Baptist Church—Pastor, B. H. West. 11 a.m., "The Greatest Battle of the Ages." 7:30 p.m., "The Cross on the Road to Calvary." Strangers invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services are held on Sundays at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subject for Sunday, June 9, "God, the Only Cause and Creator." Testimonial meetings every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL

Congregational Church, Rev. C. Croucher. Morning 11, subject, "Life Under Authority." Evening 7:30, subject, "Grace, What is It?" Organ recital 7 by Mr. Deane Wells.

MISCELLANEOUS

British-Israel—Bishop Allen will deliver the following lectures here this week: (1) The Meaning and Length of "Gentile Times." (2) The Approaching Downfall of Turkey. (3) The "Two Witnesses." (4) The Return of Israel in the Atonement. Further announcements in Monday's issue of The Times.

Higher Thought—Lecture by F. E. Plummer, in the Foresters' Hall, Broad Street, at 8 p.m. Mandolin selection by Mrs. Clark. All welcome.

Christadelphian Hall, 1041 North Park St.—Sunday school, 10 a.m.; breaking of bread, 11 a.m.; evening, 7:30.

Christadelphians, A.O.F. Hall, Broad St.—Memorial service, 10:30 a.m.; public lecture, 7:30 p.m., subject, "The Bible Devil." Free; no collection.

New Thought Temple—Hall 118, Pemberton Block. Dr. Butler will speak at 11 on "The Sacredness of Your Own Soul"; 8 p.m., subject, "Does God Care?"

First Spiritual Church meets St. John's Hall at 7:30 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. Jackson. Circles Tuesday and Thursdays, Carlton Rooms. Circles at hall Monday and Thursday; Mrs. Isica.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, corner Humboldt and Blanshard Streets—Morning service, 11; evening service, 7. Rector, Rev. A. de B. Owen.

UNITARIAN

Unitarian Church, Fernwood and Balmoral. Rev. E. J. Bowden. Services at 11 and 7:30.

CHURCH NOTICES
(Continued)

METHODIST

Metropolitan Church, corner Pandora and Quadra Streets—Minister, Rev. H. S. Osborne. 10 a.m., classes; 11 a.m., public service, the pastor, subject, "An Ancient Family Story"; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school and Bible classes; 7:30 p.m., public service, the pastor, subject, "Rejected Kingship." Splendid music. Soldiers, sailors and strangers heartily welcomed.

Centennial, Gorge Road, near Government—Rev. A. C. Colwell, B.A., pastor. 11 a.m., "First Righteousness, Then Peace"; 7:30 p.m., "To Whom Shall We Go?" All cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN

First, corner Quadra and Fisgard—Minister, Rev. John Gibson Inkster, will preach at both services. Morning, holy communion, sermon, "The Pierced Christ." Soloist, Frederic Taggart, of Glasgow Cathedral. Evening, song service; the great choruses of Judas Maccabaeus. Soloists, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Morrison and Frederic Taggart. Seats free. Soldiers, sailors and strangers specially invited.

St. Andrew's Church—Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., minister. 10 a.m., Bible school; 11 a.m., public worship, with sacrament of Lord's Supper; 12:15 p.m., adult Bible class; 2:30 p.m., public worship, "Life's Manifold Equipment." Soloist, Mrs. Longfield.

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WANTED—Any class of old metals; any class of junk; good prices paid for bottles, sacks, auto tires, carpenters' tools, etc. Ring up 1229, City Junk Co., R. Aaronson, 545 Johnson Street. House phone 5644L.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

DESK room in nice bright front office, as good as ground floor; with typewriter and phone. Apply 30 Winch Building.

FOR Rent—Beach lot at Cordova Bay with two large tents and good kitchen. Phone 3415L.

HIGH grade piano at $2.50 per month, to careful party. Box 2491, Colonist.

HOUSE tent at Cordova Bay to rent for the Summer. $20.00. Phone 3938R.

LARGE garage on Leighton Road, moderate rental. Apply 1637 Amphion Street.

McGREGOR Block—Commodious office, ground floor, View Street, some office furniture if required. Rent moderate. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office, Phone 11.

TO Let—Superior Street, near corner of Montreal, two brick stores and factory buildings, 40 x 100, all modern, cement floors, very suitable for cold storage plant, bakehouse, fish-curing, etc.; or would trade equity. A. H. Harman, 704 Fort Street.

LOST AND FOUND

BLUE handbag lost between Groceteria and Fisgard Street, Wednesday, containing $64. Return to Mrs. Bronson, Jackson Street, Maywood P.O. Reward.

FOUND, watch chain pendant, with letters E.B. of L. thereon. Loser may recover property by calling at Colonist office and paying for this advertisement.

LOST, 11th C.M.R. badge, silver, valued by soldier's wife, between Willows and Government Street. Finder phone 5279R.

LOST, several days ago, pair gold-rimmed eyeglasses, double vision. Reward. Phone 4500R.

LOST—On Tuesday between C. P. R. wharf and Princess Avenue, black seal collar. Reward on return, The Bonaccord Rooms, Princess Avenue.

LOST—Blue smoke Persian cat, last seen near Lost Lake. Two dollars reward to anyone giving information which leads to its recovery. Tel. 24Y Colquitz.

LOST—Black and white heifer calf, 6 months old; rough in coat. W. H. Sanders, 3217 Bellvue Road, Maywood. Reward.

LOST—Saturday afternoon, in Gorge Park, sum of money. $5 reward. Phone 5427L.

LOST, Strayed or Stolen—One Fox Terrier dog answering to the name of "Tip." Anyone knowing of or harboring same will be looked after. J. W. Munroe, 1117 Hillside Avenue.

LOST, gold watch, Tuesday night, Cook Street, Hillside, Outer Wharf cars or Yates Street. Keepsake. Reward. Please return Police Station.

LOST, one black and white Holstein heifer, one black and white Holstein weanling heifer. Reward. Phone 68R, Sidney.

MAGNET Auction Rooms — Furniture Bargains.

ST. JAMES Hotel Grill, under management of former steward of Butler, Seattle.

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ALICE wishes it understood that she wears neither switches nor pads. Tonifoam grew her hair. Absolutely cures dandruff, 50c and $1.00, druggists and barbers.

BICYCLE bargains. 574 Johnson Street. Saturday.

ENTHUSE cells via my appliance. A reason for it. Prof. Brennen.

LADIES, place your bonds and valuables in our Safety Deposit Vault. Boxes $2 per year and up. Belmont Safety Deposit Vaults, Cross & Co., Mgrs., Belmont House.

MAGNET Auction Rooms for furniture bargains.

MADAME CEERA has closed her tent at the Gorge and is located at 320 Craigflower Road for the Winter months. Phone 3360.

MRS. SHAW pays best prices for ladies' and gents' cast-off clothing. 735 Fort Street. Phone 401.

PRIZES of $10.00 and $5.00 are offered for the best illustration of any of our rhymes published in these columns during the month of June. They will be changed twice a week and are numbered 1 to 8. Send sketches to Hamsterley Farm Store, where the boats go round in the window on Government Street.

Kewpie Pool (3)

THE miner Kewp, with lamp and pick,
In seam of chocolate ten foot thick
Being Scotch in point of birth
Rejoiced to see in mother earth
Embedded in the chocolate seam
With pink and white and orange gleam
A smaller seam of priceless stock
A good supply of Edin Rock.
He mined some quickly for the Store
Which all the children so adore—
"HAMSTERLEY."

SKATING Rinks for flies will be closed this Summer if men use Tonifoam. It removes dandruff and grows hair on bald spots. 50c and $1.00.

SWEET but sugarless. Hamsterley Farm honey-fig chocolates, 80c lb.

"THE Sandringham," British War Lunch Rooms, now open for business. 733 Fort Street. To reserve tables, phone 397.

USE of my appliance removes lumbago, sciatica, lagrippe, pneumonia (The joker appendicitis). No argument. For appointment phone 4522R, 1 to 3 p.m. daily. Prof. Brennan.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

AT 526 Michigan—Housekeeping rooms. Phone 1403R.

AT 433 Menzies Street, housekeeping rooms; gas.

AT 1193 Fort Street, housekeeping rooms, bright and sunny; gas ranges; every convenience; modern house, near town, near two schools. Terms Moderate.

COMFORTABLE housekeeping rooms at 901 Burdett. Phone 4509L.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, two blocks from post office; bath, gas and phone. 736 Humboldt.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished, near park, sea and post office. Phone 3964L. 611 Superior St.

HONEY overseas, packages—Hamsterley.

HOUSEKEEPING Rooms—1031 Vancouver Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, very cheap. 2842 Douglas Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished, near park, sea and post office. Phone 3964L. 611 Superior St.

MODERN Cleaners—Suits cleaned, pressed, repaired. Union shop. We call and deliver. Phone 1887.

TWO unfurnished rooms. For reference phone 4768R.

UNFURNISHED rooms, Todd Road, near Cadboro Bay Road.

UNFURNISHED room with use of kitchen. Open fireplace. Seven minutes from post office. Apply Box 2346, Colonist.

LEADING HOTELS

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MAKE IT HOME! WESTHOLME HOTEL MAKE IT HOME!

Where you can rest in comfort. All rooms are outside sunny rooms, large and well ventilated; European plan. Enter the largest lobby in the city. Beautiful large lounging and reading room for lady guests. Popular prices with unexcelled service.

Free 'bus meets all boats and trains.

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That everybody knows
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Our Cafe will surprise you and our rooms at 75c and up, will complete the surprise.

—NOTICE—
Thomas Ketway having leased the premises for a term of years is sole proprietor.

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When your friends come to Victoria have them meet you at the St. James, Victoria's leading and only absolutely fireproof hotel, catering to those who demand the best. Commercial travelers, tourists, etc., will find here every accommodation known to a high-class hotel. First-class grill in connection. Coziest and most homelike hotel in Victoria.

Personal service of F. C. WILLOWS
(Prop. and Manager).

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Accommodation good. - Rates reasonable.

Free Bus to and from all boats and trains.

S. W. HURST, Proprietor.

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Cor. Douglas and Cormorant Streets
Now under the management of
W. N. TOMPKINS

The hotel is located in the heart of the business section. Every accommodation, including an up-to-date kitchen, where guests may do their own cooking.

Our rates reasonable. Service unexcelled. Also have a few apartments (with bath).

PHONE 2880

BALMORAL HOTEL

WHY pay high rent for rooms when you can get first-class accommodation at the Balmoral Hotel. Newly renovated; telephone, steam heat in each room. Special Summer rates from $10 a month and up. A. Belanger, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL METROPOLIS

Is a most imposing seven-story structure of reinforced concrete, steel and marble, absolutely fireproof.

Situated on Victoria's most prominent thoroughfare, a most admirable location, inasmuch as it is free from the noise of the street cars and heavy traffic and yet within half a block of the centre of Victoria's tramway system; convenient to clubs, theatres and shopping. You will find the Metropolis an ideal place to stay, where perfect comfort and service and an air of quiet refinement reign supreme. Commercial travelers will find our sample rooms are large and well lighted.

DELHI HOTEL

CENTRALLY located; nicely furnished, bright, airy rooms, first class cafe in connection. Rates 50c per night and up. Also a few housekeeping rooms. Special low rates for naval and military men. 615 Yates Street. Phone 1864L.

MISCELLANEOUS

ATTENTION—Will pay highest prices for men's clothing, shoes, etc. 572 Johnson; phone 1747.

A LADY will call and buy all your high-class cast-off clothing. Spot cash. Phone Mrs. Hunt, 4021.

AUTO for hire, day or night. Telephone 5034. Night phone res. 3992L. Wm. B. Hall.

IF you want a good tonic drink our Hop Ale. 50c per gallon. Phone 432.

EAST—WEST—HOME'S BEST

MAGNET Auction Rooms, furniture bargains. A comfortable home for a small outlay, call today Magnet, corner Douglas and Fort. Phone 3114.

MEN'S 14-k gold signet rings! F. L. Haynes has some beauties at exceptionally low prices; engraved free. 1124 Government Street.

LAWNMOWERS sharpened, latest process; collected and delivered, $1.00. Jack's, 805 Yates Street, phone 5719.

NEW Method Laundry, Ltd., the sanitary way. 1015-17 North Park, L. D. McLean, expert launderers. Telephone 2300.

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"THE Sandringham," British War Lunch Rooms, now open for business. 733 Fort Street. To reserve tables phone 397.

WHEN you think cider, think Fairall's.

FURNISHED ROOMS

AT Beacon Hill, rooms facing Park. Phone 5318R.

BRUNSWICK hotel, 50c night and up; $3 weekly and up; best location; no bar. Yates and Douglas. Phone 317.

BEDROOMS with use of sitting-room, bath, phone, from $6 monthly; seven minutes walk from city. 845 Princess Avenue.

FOR rent, furnished room with use of kitchen if required. 1137 Mason.

FIRST-class furnished rooms, 422 Menzies Street.

FURNISHED bedroom with every convenience, $6 month, 2155 Vancouver St. Phone 3975L.

FURNISHED or unfurnished housekeeping rooms, 2 blocks from City Hall, 1621 Quadra. Phone 902L.

FURNISHED rooms, 957 Mears Street, corner Vancouver.

LARGE sunny furnished front room, moderate. Meals if required. 1353 Pembroke Street.

MODERN Cleaners—Suits cleaned, pressed, repaired. Union shop. We call and deliver. Phone 1887.

PACKAGES chocolates overseas—Hamsterley.

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WELL furnished rooms with use of kitchen, central. Phone 4012R.

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ROOM AND BOARD

BELLEVUE Cafe, 1415 Esquimalt Road, near Yarrows. Room and board, $7.50 up. Meals 30c up. Meal tickets $6.00.

CHERRY Bank, private boarding house. Centrally located.

CARALAN—926 Douglas Street; board and residence. Phone 4007L.

THE home for tourists, The Grove, 901 Bank Street. Phone 2415R.

"THE Aberdeen"—First-class board and residence; tennis court. 941 McClure Street, phone 1012.

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WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

BOARD Wanted—Board for lady with 2-year-old boy and infant, on a farm near Victoria, about two months. Give rate and location. Box 2321 Colonist.

GENT wants room and board in private family. Terms, Colonist, Box 2417.

WANTED, by one or two gents, centrally located. Terms box 2360, Colonist.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS

ARMADALE Castle, 341 Niagara Street, apartment house; splendid accommodation; either tourist, commercial or business people. Extensive grounds; house situated on seafront. Phone 3359L.

APARTMENTS, single or en suite. 2506 Vancouver Street. Phone 6644L.

A NICE flat, every convenience, close in. See us at once. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Bldg.

APARTMENT—Furnished, moderate and modern. Apply Owen Apartments 444 Vancouver Street.

APARTMENTS to Rent—Park Mansion, Office, 1131 Quadra Street.

AT Hampton Court, Cook and Leonard Streets, 3-roomed unfurnished suite.

BEACON Hill Park, small furnished flat, 646 Simcoe Street. Phone 3866R.

CENTRAL Park Apartments, front suite three rooms for rent. Queens and Vancouver Street.

CARLTON, furnished apartments, 711 Pandora; centrally located; also single rooms. Apply Phone 5838 or 978L.

FURNISHED suite to rent, Normandie Apartments, corner of Cook and Fisgard streets.

FURNISHED 2 or 3-roomed suite, kitchenette, gas range, private house, upstairs. Adults only. 1147 Fort. Phone 3952L.

FOR rent, three roomed furnished apartment. Morrison Mansions. Phone 4635L.

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LADY will let her nice apartment at the Stanley, Linden Avenue, for a few months.

MOUNT Douglas Apartments, Oak Bay Junction. Comfortable furnished apartments. A few vacancies. Apply Suite 5. Phone 575.

OAK BAY, close to sea, well furnished suite; steam heated, coal range; $20. Phone 1185L.

ONE furnished suite to sub-let. Phone 2363L.

OCTOBER Mansions—Unfurnished suite to rent.

PARTLY furnished flat, 3 rooms, bath, close sea and car, $12.50. Box 2562, Colonist.

RIDE a Massey. Plimley's, 611 View St.

UNFURNISHED three-room suite to rent. Bell Apartments, Cook Street.

SMALL furnished house for rent, large garden planted. Phone 2809R, or apply 1645 Oak Bay Avenue.

TREBARTHA, small suites for business people. Reasonable.

TO let, Mellor Apartments, 821 Broughton Street, unfurnished, Suite "A," 3 rooms, kitchenette and bath, $25.00 per month. Apply Mellor Bros., Ltd., 819 Broughton Street.

WELL-furnished suite, four rooms, with use piano. Near park, beach and cars. Phone 1739R, from 1 to 6 p.m.

1 SINGLE suite, furnished; 1 double suite, unfurnished. Apply janitor, Alice Mansions.

6-ROOMED house, James Bay District, 4-roomed bungalow off Gorge Road car line, 4-roomed bungalow, Oak Bay waterfront, $25 per month. H. G. Dalby & Co., 615 Fort (upstairs).

FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

FLAT wanted—Two unfurnished rooms, bath and kitchen; open fireplace preferred. Box 2554, Colonist.

TO RENT—HOUSES

APPLY to E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas St. for houses in all parts of city.

FOR rent (or sale), Mt. Newton, South Saanich, 5-roomed furnished bungalow; 5 acres; bathing; fishing. Box 2575 Colonist.

FIVE-room cottage, James Bay; modern improvements. Rent $12.00. Apply 1524 Jubilee Avenue.

FIVE-roomed cottage. Apply Denman Street, 1327.

JAMES Bay—Modern five-roomed cottage, 82 San Juan Avenue.

NICE house with garage in high part of city, $25; also two nice houses in Fairfield. Apply E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas St.

ROWLAND Ave., 5-roomed house, good repair, 2 lots, city water, high elevation, run for chickens, etc., cars at door; $5 month. Box E. P. C., Colonist.

SEVERAL nice houses in Fairfield. Apply E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas Street.

TO rent, cottage, close to car and beach. Apply 1616 Fairfield Road.

6-ROOMED house to let; rent reasonable. 1332 Rudlin Street.

8-ROOM modern house with furnace and cement basement; close in. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Bldg.

6-ROOMED house, close in. Apply 1054 Burdett Ave.

526 ADMIRAL'S Road, near Esquimalt Road, 5-room modern house, vacant on 15th inst. Apply T. H. Slater, 429 Lampson Street. Phone 3316L.

24 ROOMS partly furnished. Centrally located in brick block. Very low rent to good tenant. Fine modern home, 6 rooms, large garden, greenhouse and garage. Oak Bay, close to beach. Arthur Lineham, 1603 Douglas Street. Telephone 664.

6-ROOMED house, James Bay District; 4-roomed bungalow off Gorge Road carline; 4-roomed bungalow, Oak Bay waterfront, $25 per month. H. G. Dalby & Co., 605 Fort, upstairs.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED, to rent by careful tenant with no children, absolutely first class unfurnished modern bungalow or house of 6 rooms with furnace. Phone E. C. Manning, Dominion Hotel.

WANTED, to lease for one or two years, a six or seven-roomed modern house in Fairfield or Foul Bay district. Apply Box 2485, Colonist.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES

APPLY E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas Street, for furnished houses at reasonable rents.

EIGHT-roomed house, good location; large garden. 116 Menzies Street (mornings), or A. H. Harman, 704 Fort St.

FOUL Bay Waterfront. Furnished house, 3 rooms, $10; 4 rooms, $15, adults preferred. 1735 Beach Road, from 2 to 6 p.m.

FURNISHED house, Gorge Road; five rooms, comfortably furnished, with garage. Rental, $25, Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd.

FURNISHED house, 3 rooms and bath. Apply afternoons, 405 Helmcken Street.

NICELY furnished seven-room Oak Bay home to let for three months. Only $35 to good tenant. Dunford's Limited, 1222 Government Street.

NICELY furnished house, Stanley Avenue, $35; also nicely furnished home near Duncan, rent reasonable. Apply E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas Street.

RIDE a Massey. Plimley's, 611 View St.

SEVERAL nicely furnished houses, also one at Cordova Bay. Apply E. E. Heath, 1213 Douglas Street.

SMALL cottage to rent furnished, suitable for two or three adults. Rear of 420 Vancouver Street.

TO Let—Fully furnished 5-roomed cottage for July and August, $25, including phone and water. Box 2576, Colonist.

TO rent, boarded tent with bed, also three roomed cabin, furnished. Free wood and boats. Frank Campbell, Prospect Lake.

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED

ONE or two rooms furnished or unfurnished, facing sea. Box 1546 Colonist.

"THE Sandringham," British War Lunch Rooms, now open for business. 733 Fort Street. To reserve tables phone 397.

WANTED—Nicely furnished six-room house near Willows Beach. Box 2480 Colonist.

WANTED, furnished house, 7 or 8 rooms, Oak Bay or Shoal Bay district preferred, for 6 months from June 15th. Will pay reasonable rent. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1013 Broad Street. Phone 4632.

WANTED—Small house, about 6 rooms, good locality. Will pay good price for place in good condition for immediate occupation. Box 2394 Colonist.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

ANY quantity of chickens wanted for cash, at your house. Phone 5019L.

B. C. RABBITRIES. A few full grown Belgian hare and New Zealand bucks, pure bred, for sale. Phone 5176L, Holmes Street, Quadra. Mail R.M.D.4.

DRINK Fairall's Cherry or Grape Cider.

FOR Sale—Two strong horses, eight years old, good workers. 1417 Taunton Street, Spring Ridge.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK
(Continued)

FOR Sale, two black cocker pups. Well bred. Apply 618 Dallas Road.

FOR Sale—Horse, wagon, harness, all implements, strawberries on one acre, two acres of rye, small house, chicken houses for 300 birds and runs; purchaser to take over lease of two years at $8 per month. Situate at upper end of Cordova Bay. Phone 5819. A. E. Mitchell, 403 Union Bank.

FOR Sale—Good Shorthorn cow, freshened on the 7th. Apply C. S. Fox, Brentwood Farm. Phone 31Y, Keatings.

FOR Sale—Pigs around 4 months. Few matured hogs. Moon, Thetis Lake Road, Parson's Bridge.

FOR Sale—Young rabbits, about two months and over. French, Saanich Road.

FOR Sale—Fat calf, 7 weeks old. Apply Graham, 3216 Millgrove Street.

FOR Sale—Durham and Jersey cow, fresh; also good driving mare. Apply 2518 Fernwood Road.

FOR Sale—Horses and wagons, sacrifice. Acton Bros.

FOR Sale—1913 2-speed Indian motorcycle; perfect running order. Apply 1790 Bay Street.

FOR Sale—Young sows and small pigs. Montgomery, Bay Road, Mount Tolmie.

FOR Sale, $70 bicycle for $35. Phone 1056.

FOR Sale—Thoroughbred golden bronze turkeys, consisting of Tom and five hens. Phone 2139R. 532 Cecilia Road.

FINE fresh young Holstein with Jersey heifer calf, heavy milker. W. Floyd, Midgard Ave., Mt. Tolmie.

FINE feathers make fine birds. Ladies use Tonifoam and grow beautiful hair; kills livestock in the hair. Dissolves dandruff. 50c and $1.00. Druggists and barbers.

HEN with bred-to-lay Leghorn chicks for sale. Phone 823L. 1315 Fairfield Rd.

HEN-HATCHED chicks, setting eggs, Minorca, Rhode Island, White Wyandottes, from $1.00. 2660 Cedar Hill Road.

MASSEY Bicycles at Plimley's, 611 View.

ONE four-year-old Jersey family cow, perfectly quiet and easy to milk, raised and handled by myself, $100. Calved 3rd May. Mrs. A. R. Anderson, Old West Saanich Road, Royal Oak.

POULTRY Wanted—Best prices paid; payment by return. Harry Stevens, 929 Granville St., Vancouver, B.C.

POMERANIAN puppies, five weeks old, $25 each. Phone 729R, 1510 Fort St.

SOME young Jersey and grade Jersey cows, fresh, 4 and 5 years old, or will trade for beef cows of equal value. Thos. Boyles, Marigold Road, Garden City. Phone Colquitz 7L.

THREE delivery horses, splendid condition, with ton-and-half wagon, double and single sets of harness. Very reasonable. Call 766 King's Road, after 7 p.m.

WANTED—Chicken manure. Woodward Nursery. Phone 285.

WHITE Wyandotte R. C. Rhode Island Reds, Columbia Wyandottes and Barred Rock eggs for hatching; per setting, $1. Mrs. F. E. Bayley, phone 4797R.

WANTED, 2 or 4 small pigs. Apply E. Bryant, Port Alberni, B.C.

WANTED, Berkshire boar, 4 to 6 months old. State all particulars first letter. Box 2405, Colonist.

WANTED, man with mower (machine) for grass. Phone 3367Y.

WANTED—Fox terrier, adult. Phone 4704L.

WE wish to contract to purchase Italian prunes this Fall in half-ton lots or upwards. Hamsterley Farm, Victoria, B.C.

YOUNG rabbits for sale. 452 Chester St., Fairfield.

THE PRAIRIE GRAIN CO., THE NEW FEED STORE

1704 Douglas St., opposite Hudson Bay Bldg.

OUR special Saturday cash and carry prices advertised on Friday drew many satisfied customers.

There is a great demand for corn meal.

We have one ton of specially ground meal which is giving satisfaction to housewives who appreciate the "real thing."

Concentrates for hens and hogs at $2.90 per cwt. takes the place of bran and shorts and goes further; try a bag.

Alberta wheat at $5.00 appears to attract careful buyers. We have a car load going fast.

OUR TERMS ARE CASH AND THE QUALITY OF OUR GOODS COUNT.

DANCING

MODERN Ballroom. Dancing properly taught. Private lessons only. Phone 2100L.

AUTOMOBILES

A BARGAIN for cash. If you want a brand new 1918 Ford car, with all nobby tread tires, for $175 less than cost see us quick. Cameron, 521 Superior Street, behind Parliament Buildings.

AUTOMOBILISTS should use Tonifoam. It removes dandruff and dirt. Kills Fords and all other vermin. Leaves the hair soft and glossy. 50c and $1.00.

W. MABLE

AUTO repainting and trimming; wheels a specialty. 712, 715, 717 Johnson Street. Phone 1326.

AUTO Owners—Inquire about National Rubber Tirefiller. It is a great success; auto repairs guaranteed. Shell Garage, Limited, 836 View Street.

BICYCLE Bargains. Magnet, Cor. Douglas and Fort.

CABIN cruiser, 35 x 76, to exchange for good automobile. 941 View Street. Phone 3336.

DETROIT electric brougham, almost like new; batteries and tires good. Price $1,800. Box 2336, Colonist.

ENGLISH make five-passenger auto, in splendid running order, cost $4,500 new, owner gone overseas. Must be sold at once. No reserve. Best cash offer accepted. 724 Johnson Street.

FOR Sale—By owner, 5-passenger Dodge car; price $1,200; almost new original tires, see Cameron, 521 Superior St.

FOR Sale—5-passenger Overland in perfect shape; bosch magneto; new tires; equal to new. Owner must have cash. Price $425. Cameron, 521 Superior Street, behind Parliament Buildings.

FOR Sale—1913 Studebaker in good running order, $250. Take a look at this car. Mitchell Truck, a snap at $500. Used cars bought and sold. Metropolitan Garage, 721 View Street. Phone 2977.

FOR Sale—20 horsepower Hupmobile in first class condition. Apply Spencer Garage, 936 Johnson St.

FOR Sale—Bullet, $115 cash. 1040 Empress Ave.

FOR Sale—Five-passenger Chalmers, A1 shape, $325 cash. Phone 2112R.

FOR Sale—30 h.p. runabout, all good shape, 1913 model; make splendid truck—$375. Phone 423R or 2405.

FOR Sale—Five-passenger Ford, complete with self-starter and electric lights. Late model. Easy terms. Address Box 2441 Colonist.

HUDSON car, 4, 1913. Apply after 7 p.m., 2317 Blanshard Street, phone 2395L. A. E. Thompson.

WINTON seven-passenger 1913 model in good running order and good tires, only run small mileage. $1,000. Box 2387, Colonist.

WANTED, motor car, 1918 model roadster; state price for cash; no Ford. Box 2357, Colonist.

FEDERAL Tire Agency—A. McGavin, 1011 Blanshard Street. Phone 2869. Federal and Goodrich tires and vulcanizing.

FAIRALL'S 23 varieties soft drinks.

IF you study economy these times and require the very best workmanship, you will send your auto radiator, fenders, lamps or any damaged metal part to Burgess Bros., Auto Sheet Metal Workers, 1901 Government Street. Phone 3387.

LAUNCH for sale, 30 ft. x 6 ft. beam, 3½ h.p. engine in good shape, worth $275. Will sacrifice for $75 for cash. Cameron, 521 Superior Street.

MR. Auto Owner, if you wish to dispose of your used car, get in touch with us. We have buyers awaiting cars of the right sort. Carter Bros., 724 Johnson.

McLAUGHLIN Snap—Light roomy 5-passenger, electric starter and lights, demountable rims. Owner going away. For quick cash sale $690. Cameron, 521 Superior Street, behind Parliament Buildings.

MODERN Cleaners—Suits cleaned, pressed, repaired. Union shop. We call and deliver. Phone 1887.

OVERLAND 1913 5-passenger, Bosch magneto, in first class condition. Will sell cheap. Box 2564, Colonist.

OVERLAND 5-passenger in good condition, bosch magneto, full set of tools, four good tires and one spare. Cost $1,250. Will sell for $600. Apply Box 2476, Colonist.

PARKER'S Garage and Machine Shop, 810 Bellevue Street. Phone 6406. Automobile and Marine Engine Repairing. Also Marine Engines Bought and [illegible]

AUTOMOBILES
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FORD REPAIRS

SHOULD be entrusted to expert hands at less expense than experimenters. You will get good results from a specialist.

ARTHUR DANDRIDGE,
[illegible] Yates Street,
Next Dominion Theatre. Phone 479

RIDE a Massey. Plimley's, 611 View St.

TRY Fairall's Cherry Cider Shandy Gaff.

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WANTED from owner—An auto with self-starter and lights. Will pay $500 cash. Box 1872, Colonist.

A FORD CAR FOR $1.00

WE rent cars for $1.00 an hour, without driver, to responsible parties. These cars are all of the latest model, in splendid order, with good tires.

VICTORIA AUTO LIVERY
727 Broughton Street Phone 3053

WANTED, light 2-passenger car. State price. Box 2406, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILE BARGAINS

THREE small five-passenger cars in good condition from $250 up. Can be sold on easy terms. Motor cycles taken in trade.

SIX-Cylinder Winton, make a good truck, $250, terms.

CHALMERS Six, electric lights, starter, good rubber, newly painted, in first-class condition, $750, terms.

1913 HUDSON, completely overhauled, new tires all round and good spare, new battery, electric lights and starter, $650.

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SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia may be leased for a term of 21 years, renewal for a further term of 21 years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, rescinded by Chap. 27 of 4-5 George V., assented to 12th June, 1914.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of Interior.

(N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.)

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

VICTORY LOAN BONDS

The Council will purchase from the public Victory Loan Bonds at par, plus accrued interest, conditional that in each and every instance, and as a part of the same transaction, the seller immediately pays into the City the entire amount received by him for the sale of his bonds, the said sums paid in by the seller to be used to pay, in whole or in part, amounts due to the City by him on any or all of the following accounts, namely:

1918 Instalments Local Improvement Taxes.

Commuting Local Improvement Taxes.

Arrears of both General and Local Improvement Taxes.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
City Comptroller.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., June 7, 1918.

PUBLIC NOTICE

In order to meet the wishes of the Canada Registration Board, I am endeavoring to provide a maximum of registration at a minimum of cost, and from present appearances will be able to have a full volunteer staff for service as well as a complete list of free registration booths.

Everybody seems to want to do his bit. Churches, fraternal societies, the School Board, school teachers, women's societies, Rotary Club and individuals are tendering their help.

For the convenience of employers of labor, I can place a registration booth in their offices and shall be glad to make designated members of their respective staffs deputies and assistant deputies for the day.

I am desirous of hearing still further from any centres of people where it will be an advantage to all concerned to have booths placed.

Where notified of the need, I shall be glad to have a deputy wait on the sick and infirm at their residences.

A complete list of places of registration will be published in a few days, so if any store, public building, shipyard, railway works or hospital, will accommodate me with booth facilities, I will accommodate them.

I might add that contrary to previous expectations, registration day is not likely to be a public holiday.

W. G. GAUNCE,
Registrar.

APPEALS AGAINST THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR 1918

Notice Is Hereby Given that the Assessment Commissioners appointed under the provisions of the Victoria City Relief Act, 1918, (No. 2) will consider any, and all, complaints against the assessment as made by the City Assessor, which are made in writing, stating grounds of complaint, addressed to the undersigned, and delivered at the office of the Assessment Commissioners, City Hall, on or before the 22nd day of June, 1918.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 29th day of May, 1918.

A. M. BANNERMAN,
Chairman of the Assessment Commissioners.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

DEBENTURES ON HAND 29th MAY, 1918

The Corporation of the City of Victoria offers for sale the following debentures:

Due date.	Amount.
15th Sept., 1919	$ 2,500.00
15th Oct., 1919	20,000.00
15th Sept., 1920	1,500.00
15th Oct., 1920	25,000.00
15th Oct., 1921	17,000.00
15th May, 1922	2,000.00
15th Sept., 1925	500.00
15th Oct., 1927	384.18
	$68,884.18

These debentures are a direct obligation of the City of Victoria, are in denominations of $500, bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly, and are payable as to both interest and principal at the office of the Bank of British North America in either London, New York, Montreal, Toronto or Victoria at holder's option.

These debentures are free from taxation as personal property by the Province of British Columbia, and they bear the certificate of the Inspector of Municipalities for British Columbia.

Official permission for the issue of these debentures as required by Order-in-Council (3429) of the 22nd December, 1917, has been duly obtained.

This issue is offered to the public at a rate to yield the investor 7 per cent per annum, interest to commence from date of purchase.

These debentures may be obtained either at the City Treasury or through any financial or real estate agent in Victoria.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Comptroller.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., May 30, 1918.

Esquimalt Board of School Trustees

Applications will be received up to the 22nd June by the Esquimalt Board of School Trustees for the position of Public School Principal at a salary of One Hundred and Fifty ($150) Dollars per month, the applicants to be ineligible for military service, to be addressed to the Secretary, P. O. Box 88, Thoburn, B. C., and marked "Application for Public School Principal."

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 24

In the matter of the Southerly Forty feet (40 ft.) of Lot Four (4), Map 1316, Victoria District.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of the Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above mentioned lands No. 219651, in the name of Commercial Investment Company, Limited, and bearing date the 25th day of February, 1915, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said Commercial Investment Company, Limited, a fresh Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 10th day of May, 1918.

J. C. GWYNN,
Registrar-General of Titles.

No. of Application 20801F.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

Notice under Section 36

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register John W. Tolmie, as the owner in Fee-simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from the Collector of the Corporation of the District of Saanich to John W. Tolmie, bearing date the 9th day of May, A.D. 1918, in pursuance of a Tax Sale held by said Collector on or about the 27th day of July, 1916, of all and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as: Lot 1, Block 3, of part of Sections 7, 8 and 32, Map 1707;
Lot 10, Block 6, of part of Sections 7, 8 and 32, Map 1707;
Lot 18, Block 6, of part of Sections 7, 8 and 32, Map 1707.

You and each of you and those claiming through or under you and each of you and all persons claiming any interest in the said parcels of land or any or either of them by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act" are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty days of the service of this notice upon you. Otherwise you and each of you not so contesting the claim of the tax purchaser as aforesaid will be for ever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said parcels of land or any or either of them, and I shall register the John W. Tolmie as owner in fee.

I direct service of this notice to be made by publication in twelve consecutive issues of a daily paper circulating in Victoria.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of May, A.D. 1918.

J. C. GWYNN,
Registrar-General of Titles.

To John Long and Beatrice Long, Registered Holders of Charge, and John Long, Assessed Owner of Lot 1, Block 3; and
H. Battiany, Assessed Owner of Lot 10, Block 6, and
R. A. Purdue and M. F. Young, Assessed Owners of Lot 18, Block 6.

SITE FOR A NEW CEMETERY

Offers will be received until Monday, the 17th inst., at 1 p.m., at the office of the undersigned, of areas of land suitable for a site for a new cemetery, in or near Victoria, such offers to state price and terms of payment.

Preference will be given, if land offered is suitable, to owner who will accept Corporation bonds in payment therefor.

The Corporation reserves the right to reject any, or all, offers received.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office Victoria, B.C., June 5, 1918.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having any claims against the late Arthur James Leary, who died on the 9th day of November, 1917, at Esquimalt, B.C., are required to send or deliver to the undersigned in writing, particulars of their claims; and take notice that after the 10th day of July, 1918, the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have had notice, and that the undersigned will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claims the undersigned shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 5th day of June, 1918.

IMPERIAL CANADIAN TRUST CO.,
Administrator of the Estate of the said Arthur James Leary, Deceased, Intestate,
616 View Street, Victoria, B.C.

Important Auction Sale of Dairy Cows, Sheep, Pigs, etc.

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY

Instructed by J. Lock & Sons, will sell by Public Auction,

Wednesday, June 26th, 1:30 p.m.

At their ranch, Cobble Hill:

40 Head of Very Choice Dairy Cows and Heifers, from the Fraser Valley. Included are about 20 fresh or just about due to calve.

60 Head of Prime Oxford Down Yearling Ewes, 2 Horses, Quantity of Pigs, Etc.

Further particulars later, or apply
Auctioneer:
ARTHUR HEMINGWAY
Phone 2484 City Market Auction

Short Notice Sale

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY

Instructed by Denholm & Waddington, will sell by public auction,

Tuesday, June 11th, 2 p.m.

at their place, known as the Albion Johns Ranch, Helmcken Road, between Burnside and Craigflower Road,

16 Fine Brood Sows, several about to farrow;
20 Other Fine Porkers.

The sows are Durock Jersey breed, young, averaging from 125 to 225 lbs.

Further particulars later, or apply to Auctioneer,

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY
Phone 2484

Please note no sale at City Market Auction until Friday on account of above sale.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers

Instructed by the owners we will sell at our salesroom, 726 View Street,

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High Grade and

Almost New Furniture and Furnishings

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MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers Phone 837

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Instructed we will sell on the premises of

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Store Fixtures such as several counters, Tables, Stands, White Enameled Chest of Drawers, etc.

On view Tuesday morning.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers

Auctioneer's Notice
Removal of Sale

That Large Auction Sale of Forty Head of Dairy Cows, Sixty Head of Oxford Down Yearling Ewes, etc., as advertised to be held at Cobble Hill, June 26th, for J. Lock & Sons, will be held at the

Ranch, Craigflower Road, Esquimalt, same time, same day.

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY
Phone 2484 City Market Auction

Germany's Food Scarcity

LONDON, June 8.—A dispatch to the Central News says that a meeting held in Dresden the secretary of the war food department of Berlin declared there would not be enough potatoes to last until the next harvest and that the outlook for meat and fats was worse than at the beginning of the year.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

(Supplied by Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-Fr. 5%, 1920	91½	91⅝
U.K. 5% secured, 1918	99⅝	99⅞
U.K. 5½% sec. 1919	96⅞	97⅛
U.K. 5½% sec. cnv. 1919	99	99¼
U.K. 5½% secured, 1921	94	94¼
Amer. For. Sec. 5% sec., 1919	96⅞	97¼
Fr. Gov't. 5% Vic., 1931	130	140
Paris 6%, 1921	84	85½
Fr. Cities 6%, 1919	88½	90
Russ. Gvt. 5½% Tsy. 1921	35	40
Russ. Gvt. 5½% Rouble, 1926	27	30
Dom. Can. 5%, 1919	96	98
Dom. Can. 5%, 1921	95	97
Dom. Can. 5%, 1931	91	93
Dom. Can. 5%, 1926	92	93½
Argentine Gvt. 6%, 1920	96	99
Chinese Rep. 6%, 1919	87	91
Dom. Can. 5% (new), 1937	92½	93½
Fr. Rep. 5½% sec. cnv, 1919	97⅝	98

TRADERS ELEVATE INDUSTRIAL SHARES

Special Attention Is Given to Motors, Tobaccos, Leathers, and Alcohols—Other Groups Rally on Covering.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Traders representing pools and cliques were in complete possession of today's short and unimportant stock market, directing their energies mainly toward automobile, tobacco and other special issues.

Early gains of one to four points in General Motors, Studebaker, Chandler, Maxwell first preferred, Pierce Arrow, Sumatra Tobacco Products, Hide and Leather preferred, Central Leather, Industrial Alcohol and Distillers' were mostly maintained at the close.

United States Steel and related shares were sluggish at the outset, with rails, but both sections strengthened visibly on short covering later. Sales of stocks amounted to 185,000 shares.

A further decrease of loans and discounts was reported in the actual condition of clearing house banks, but last week's loss of reserve by members in the Federal reserve bank was more than recovered, likewise, the excess reserves increased by slightly more than $11,000,000.

The strength of Liberty issues, especially the first four's, which rose two per cent over the low record of the early week, was the noteworthy feature of the bond market. Total sales of bonds, par value, $3,525,000. U. S. bonds, old issues, were unchanged on call during the week.

(Supplied by Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

	High.	Low.	Last.
Allis-Chalmers	32½	32¼	32½
Am. Beet Sugar	66½	66¼	66½
Am. Can. Co., com	44⅝	44⅜	44½
Am. Car Fdy	79½	79	79½
Am. Locomtive	62¾	62½	62¾
Am. Smelt. and Ref.	75¼	74⅝	74⅝
Am. T. and Tel.	99½	98⅞	99½
Am. Wool, com	55	55	55
Anaconda Mining	62⅝	62	62¼
Atchison	84	83⅝	83⅞
Atlantic Gulf	107	106½	106⅝
Baldwin Loco	88¼	86	88¼
Baltimore and Ohio	55	54⅝	54⅞
Bethlehem Steel	81⅝	81	81⅝
Brooklyn Transit	42½	42¼	42½
Can. Pacific	146½	146½	146½
Central Leather	66	65⅝	65⅞
Crucible Steel	62¼	61	62¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	56½	56	56½
Chic., Mil. and St. P.	42⅝	42⅜	42⅝
Chic., R.I. and Pac	23¼	23	23¼
Colo. Fuel and Iron	47½	46⅞	37½
Chino Copper	37	36⅝	37½
Cal. Petroleum	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Chile Copper	15	15	15
Corn Products	40	40	40
Distillers Sec	58⅝	57¼	58¼
Erie	16	16	16
Erie first pfd	32⅝	32½	32½
Gen. Electric	142	142	142
Goodrich (B.F.)	45	43⅝	44⅝
Gt. Nor. Ore	32⅝	32	32⅝
Granby	74⅞	74⅞	74⅞
Hide and Lea. pfd	72⅞	27⅝	72⅞
Inspiration Cop	48⅝	48⅜	48⅜
Int'l Nickel	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞
Int'l Mer. Marine	28¼	28¼	28⅜
do pfd.	103	102½	102½
Illinois Central	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Kennecott Copper	31¼	31⅛	31¼
Lehigh Valley	59	59	59
Lack. Steel	85	85	85
Maxwell Motors	27¼	26⅞	27¼
Midvale Steel	49	48	49
Mex. Petroleum	93⅜	92⅝	93⅜
Miami Copper	27½	27½	27½
Missouri Pacific	23½	23⅛	23⅛
N.Y., N.H. and Hart	41⅝	41¼	41½
N.Y. Central	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Northern Pacific	86	86	86
Nev. Cons. Copper	19½	19½	19½
Penn. R.R.	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
People's Gas	45	45	45
Reading	88⅝	87⅝	88½
Ry. Steel Spring	53½	53½	53½
Ray Cons. Mining	23	23	23
Republic Steel	84⅝	83⅝	84⅝
Southern Pacific	83	82⅞	83
Southern Ry., com	24	24	24
Studebaker Corpn.	46½	45⅝	46½
Union Pacific	120⅝	120⅜	120⅝
Utah Copper	79½	79	79½
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	122⅝	122	122⅝
U.S. Rubber	57	57	57
U.S. Steel, com	98⅝	97⅝	98⅜
U.S. Steel, pfd.	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞
Virginia Chem	48⅝	48⅜	48⅝
Western Union	90⅞	90⅛	90⅞
Willy's Overland	20⅛	19⅞	20⅛
Westinghouse Elec	42	42	42
An. Fr. Loan	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
Amer. Sumatra	136⅛	134½	136⅝
Cuban Cane Sug.	31	31	31
Gen. Motors	129	125½	127¼
Int. Paper	35½	35½	35½
Penn. Coal	50½	49½	50½
Ohio Gas	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
Sin. Oil	28⅜	28	28⅜
Tob. Prod.	63	61½	63
Un. Cig. Store	93¼	92⅝	93¼
Chandler Mor.	86½	85⅝	85⅝
Lib. Loan 4's	94.82	94.40	94.80

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

(Supplied by Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

	High.	Low.	Last.
Ames Holden pfd	59	59	59
Bell Telephone	....	....	130
Brazilian Trac	34	34	34
Can. Cement, com	....	....	60½
do pfd.	90¼	90¼	90½
Can Car Fdy, com	30	30	30
do pfd.	76¼	76¼	76¼
Can. SS., com	....	....	41
do pfd	76⅝	76⅝	76⅝
Can. Locomtive	....	....	61
Can. Gen. Elec	....	....	103
Civic Inv. and Ind	....	....	75½
Cons. M. and S.	25	25	25
Dom. Bridge	....	....	123
Dom. I. and S.	....	....	59
Dom. Textile	90	90	90
L. of Woods Mlg.	....	....	132
Laurentide Co.	....	....	166
Maple Leaf Mlg	....	....	98
Mackay Co.	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
N.S. Steel, com	....	....	66
do pfd.	....	....	100
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	....	....	164
Penmans, Ltd.	....	....	75
Quebec Ry.	....	....	19⅝
Riordon Paper	118	118	118
Shawinigan	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝
Spanish Riv. Pulp	....	....	14
do pfd.	....	....	50
Steel of Can	63½	63⅝	63⅝
do pfd.	....	....	91
Toronto Ry.	....	....	60
Dom. War Loan (old)	....	....	96½
Dom. War Loan, 1931	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
Dom. War Loan, 1937	93	93	93
Bank of Montreal	210	210	210
Royal Bank	208	208	208

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

	Bid.	Asked.
Canada Copper	1⅝	1¾
Standard Silver Lead	⅜	7-16
Aetna Explosives	13¾	14
Chevrolet Motors	126	129
Curtiss Aeroplane	39½	40
Submarine Boat	16	17
United Motors	27⅞	27½
U.S. Steamship	6⅛	6⅝
Wright Martin Aeroplane	10	10⅜
Cosden Oil	6⅝	7
Merritt Oil	26	27
Mid-West Oil	107	110
Mid-West Refining	109	110
Northwest Oil	62	65
Sapulpa Refining	8⅝	9⅛
Caledonia	39	41
Cons. Copper	6¼	6½
Hecla Mining	4⅛	4⅜
Howe Sound Mining	3⅝	4⅛
Magma Copper	29⅝	32
Nipissing	8⅝	9
New Cornelia	18	18½
Ray Hercules	4¼	4⅝
Howe Sound	3⅝	4⅛
Success Mining	9	10

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson, 132 Pemberton Block)

	Bid.	Asked.
Athabasca Oil	....	$ .50
Alberta Petrol	.01	.02
B. C. Refining	.18	....
B. C. Permanent	....	55.00
Blackbird	10.00	....
Caledonia	.25	.40
Canada Copper	1.55	2.00
Crow's Nest	....	55.00
Coronation	....	.05
Granby	76.00	80.00
Great West Perm.	....	75.00
Howe Sound	3.75	4.00
Int'l Coal	.17½	.19½
Lucky Jim	.02	.03
McGillivray	.27	....
Pitt Meadows	.10	.15
Rambler-Cariboo	.05	....
Nabob	.04½	.05½
Standard	.25	.30
Stewart	....	.40
Sunloch Mines	.25	.30
Trojan Oil	.05½	.08

NEW YORK COTTON

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
July	25.78	26.10	25.75	26.02
Oct.	23.84	23.96	23.62	23.92
Dec.	23.02	23.25	23.02	23.24
Jan.	22.98	23.36	22.96	23.25
Spot	....	....	....	28.60

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 8.—Mercantile paper, four months, 6; six months, 6. Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.72¾; commercial, sixty day bills, on banks, 4.72. Commercial sixty day bills, 4.71¾; demand, 4.75⅝. Cables, 4.76 7-16. Francs: demand, 5.71⅝; cables, 5.70½. Guilders: demand, 50⅝; cables, 51¼. Lire: demand, 9.11; cables, 9.09. Roubles: demand, 13½; cables, 14, nominal. Bar silver, 99½. Mexican dollars, 77. Government bonds, strong; railroad bonds, steady.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, June 8.—Cash grain markets were again quiet at the week-end session and there was a general easiness in coarse grain prices, the demand in evidence for the past few days having disappeared.

The feature of the market continues to be the small offerings.

Oats closed ½ lower for July.

Flax closed 1⅞ lower for July.

Oats—	Open	High	Low	Close
July	83¾	84½	82⅞	83½
Flax—				
July	370	373	369	369⅞

Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C.W., 83¾; 3 C.W., 80½; extra 1 feed, 80½; 1 feed, 77½; 2 feed, 74½.

Barley—3 C.W., 125; 4 C.W., 120; rejected, 108; feed, 103.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 370⅞; 2 C.W., 366⅞; 3 C.W., 341⅞; condemned, 331⅞.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
Corn—				
July	137	137⅞	136½	137
Oats—				
July	67	67⅛	66⅝	66 2-3

WOMEN AND SHIPS

By a Correspondent in The London Chronicle.

Shipbuilding! The very word rings like the clanking of innumerable hammers, and creates the mind-vision of tall, gaunt shipsides, propped by scaffolding; of men like adventurous little pygmies clambering all over them, hammering, riveting, hammering—clankety-clank—unceasing, monotonous, deafening. A man's job, you are unconsciously thinking.

And then you see a figure, clad in blouse, tiny close-fitting cap, and what seem to be breeches, clambering also. Comical figure for a man, you think, and suddenly you see it is not a man but a woman, and further that she is painting. You admire her, you cannot help it, nor should you if you could. She is one of a legion of women who, amid all those who have so gallantly tackled the men's jobs, have hit on the shipyards as their sphere—have invaded the "heart of the fortress" from the toiling, sweating, pre-war man's point of view.

The tasks women are doing in and about the yards and marine engineering shops are innumerable. That fact tempted an engineer to say two years ago that by 1918 women would be able to build a battleship from keel to aerials. Too optimistic a statement, maybe, but let us consider for a moment what they have actually done.

Women in the Yards

I have before me a carefully compiled record of the multifarious jobs being done, and well, by women in and about shipyards and marine engineering shops. Before setting them down I will quote the words of an eminent Scottish shipyard expert: "Strength and endurance alone prevent women from doing all the jobs. They are intelligent enough—more intelligent than many of the men; they work hard; they don't get 'fed up' with doing the same job constantly. Give them a repetition job that makes good pay, and they will go on with it week after week—quite happily. But there are jobs they cannot do: heavy riveting; working up to the knees in water and mud, repairing the keel of a ship, moving ships about the yards, and so on."

On board ship, women are fitting electrical apparatus for yard lighting, mains and telephones, and doing complex wiring work generally. Also they are chipping, scraping and painting (doing dredgers and steam hoppers externally and internally). In the yards they are hydraulic riveting, scraping and coating the bottoms of destroyers and submarines, driving cranes (some of 50 tons), French polishing, laboring (carrying 60-lb. weights singly), loading into wagons and barges, cleaning and painting chain cables.

In the workshops in or near the yards they make and repair the overalls and "Fearnought" clothing, make flags and sails and do upholstery. Many had thought that wood-working machinery ran at too high a speed for women, but women are operating machines for wood planing and for making wooden boiler tube plugs.

In the Engineering Shops

The engineering shops find them work on 6-in. and 8-in. slotting machines, horizontal and vertical drilling machines, and turret and capstan lathes (non-repetition work in very many cases and the women setting up their own tools). One woman, said to be able to turn her hand to any job, operates a radial turret drilling machine with capstan head which performs six operations. Overhead cranes are driven by women, and one woman drives a traveling jib crane among the small lathes. They are generally employed on radial and sensitive drills and milling machines, and turbine blades are made and assembled by them. Women are also acetyline welding, nut facing, and acting as plumbers' assistants. In the foundries they are machine moulding, core making, grinding, packing, and sorting.

The boiler shops find them work drilling, boring, turning, slotting, helpin light platers, painting, assisting with rivet machines, pickling boiler tubes, cutting tubes, removing burrs turning tube expander mandrils. They are fitting and filing pipe and valve flanges, filters and valves, and bending super heater tubes. They are constantly working in the rigging house on wire ropes of 1⅛ inches, and have done 2 inches. In the braziers' shops they are repairing lamps and soldering.

Of the more readily suitable jobs, such as tracing, storekeeping, timeclerking, scutching and spinning fibre in rope shops, looking after switchboards in generating stations, and lacquering, there are a great number.

All these are not jobs ideally suited to women. That the women are doing them, and, on the whole, well, is sufficient tribute to their fearless adventuring on any task open to them, to their inspiring industry, and to their great and whole-hearted championship of the cause of humanity—the Allied cause.

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F. E. WINSLOW, Acting Local Manager.

IS ORDERED TO STOP PEACE OFFENSIVE

AMSTERDAM, June 8.—The Kreuz Zeitung, of Berlin, referring to an article that appeared in its columns, and which was the signal for a peace offensive in the German press, says that the article was writen by a collaborator and the newspaper does not agree with him in thinking that the time has come for a peace offensive. It declares that when the time comes for announcing war aims the form must be such that no doubt can exist among Germany's enemies regarding her consciousness of power.

The Berliner Tageblatt expresses the opinion that the Kreuz Zeitung has received orders from the Conservative party leaders or elsewhere to drop the announced peace offensive.

CENTRAL PILOTAGE BODY PROBABLE

Chairman Robb Makes Significant Statement Regarding Status of Coast Cities From Shipping Standpoint.

VANCOUVER, B.C., June 8.—On the eve of his departure for the East, Major Thomas Robb, chairman of the Royal Pilotage Commission which has been taking evidence on this Coast for the past two weeks, stated that, although he was not at liberty to anticipate the report of the commission, in all probability this port would be relieved of the heavy pilotage charges which have been proving a millstone about its neck in the competition with Seattle and other Coast ports for foreign trade.

From conversation with Major Robb it would seem almost certain that the commission will recommend that three districts, Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo, will be amalgamated and that a system composed of a central pilotage body will be organized with representatives of each district on the board.

"While I am not in a position to give out any information at this time," said Major Robb, "I will say that from what information I have been able to obtain, the port of Vancouver has been placed at great disadvantage on account of the heavy pilotage charges. Seattle and other American ports have simply been governing the foreign trade. With low charges they have been able to induce foreign trade to come to their port. On the other hand, Vancouver has been subservient to other ports, and the sooner the old pilotage system is remedied the sooner the port will go ahead.

TELLS OF HURRICANE THAT SANK HIS SHIP

"Made Pacific Gale Look Like Springtime Zephyr," Said Capt. Anderson, When Telling Story.

SEATTLE, June 8.—When the auxiliary power five-masted schooner Hjeltnaes sails from Seattle in the next two weeks, bound for the East Coast, in the service of the U. S. Shipping Board, the vessel will be commanded by Captain K. P. Anderson, one of the survivors of the Norwegian barque Anda, which was lost in a hurricane 300 miles off the coast of Brazil in 1914.

"We were bound from Iquique, Chile, for Falmouth, Eng., with a cargo of nitrates at the time of the disaster," said Captain Anderson today, in describing what he termed the most trying experience in his seafaring career.

"I have been in many storms," said Captain Anderson, "but the one which sent the Anda to the bottom in the South Atlantic would make one of your North Pacific gales look like a Springtime zephyr."

The Hjeltnaes will load a full cargo of timber in Seattle for Philadelphia, consigned to the Government.

SHIPOWNERS PAY HEAVY HEAD MONEY

Agent for Seamen's Union in Seattle Says Practice Is Legitimate—Seamen Are Scarce.

SEATTLE, June 8.—Bonuses of from $50 to $75 a man are being paid to boarding masters on Puget Sound for deep-sea sailors by owners of offshore sailing craft, according to P. B. Gill, agent in Seattle of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific. This practice, which is termed a very legitimate one by Gill, is a result of the increasing scarcity of men on the North Pacific due to the war.

"Puget Sound firms are paying the bonuses rather than have their vessels delayed," said Gill today, "and there is nothing irregular about it. Sailing schooners have been held up from four to six weeks because of the scarcity of men.

Crimps and Men Divide

"San Francisco has been criticizing Puget Sound methods, saying that the crimps, as the boarding masters are called, are waxing rich and that owners of sailing vessels are paying blood money of $100 to $125 a man. The charge is that the boarding masters sign up a number of men and then divide the bonuses with them. That is perfectly legitimate, for the boarding masters ought to be allowed to do whatever he pleases with the money he receives from the shipowners for men. Puget Sound is paying the bonuses rather than have the ships held up."

The coastal steamship President, with passengers and mail from San Francisco and San Diego, will arrive here tomorrow morning.

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WIRELESS REPORT

(By Government Wireless.)

6 p.m.

Point Grey—Raining; calm; 29.86; 60; sea smooth. At 3:25 spoke SS. Prince Albert abeam Point Grey, southbound.

Cape Lazo—Raining; S.E.; light; 29:80; 55; sea smooth.

Pachena — Raining; S.E.; light; 29.75; 56; light swell.

Estevan—Raining; S.E.; 29.81; 55; sea smooth, foggy seaward.

Alert Bay—Raining; calm; 29.55; 58; sea smooth.

Triangle Island—Foggy; calm; 29.90; 50; thick seaward. At 2 p.m. spoke SS. Princess Beatrice, abeam Swan Rock, southbound.

Dead Tree—Cloudy; S.E.; 29.90; 55; sea smooth.

Ikeda—Foggy; S.E.; 29.62; 53; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; S.E.; 29.73; 50; sea smooth; spoke SS. City of Seattle at 12.10 p.m. in Dixon's Entrance.

MISHAP AT LAUNCHING IN NEW WESTMINSTER

Wooden Steamer War Edensaw Becomes Entangled in Chains While Sliding Down Ways

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., June 8.—The wooden steamship War Edensaw, which was due to be launched here this evening, stuck in the ways with her bow in the water and is still in that position. It is thought that the ship was held up by a tangle of chains. Tugs were unable to pull her entirely into the water and further steps were deferred until daylight.

"Faith" Returns to Seattle

VANCOUVER, June 8.—The concrete steamer Faith left Vancouver this afternoon for Seattle after discharging 2,500 tons of cargo from San Francisco at the Johnson & Evans-Coleman docks. She will load cargo for a foreign port at Seattle.

Atsuta Maru Sails

The N.Y.K. liner Atsuta Maru, with a full cargo and passenger list for Japanese and Chinese points, called at the Outer Docks at 7 o'clock last night and stayed an hour to pick up a number of passengers and some mail.

SPECIAL SESSION MAY BE CALLED

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otherwise were protected in their rights under the Act and received their titles, but certain persons, although they had never obtained any legal pre-emption and had always been told when applying to Government officers that the lands were not open to pre-emption, claimed that they were misled and were entitled to consideration. Others who had applied for and obtained Crown grants of the surface rights only also claimed they were entitled to the under-surface or mineral rights.

The Dominion Government in 1897 appointed Mr. T. G. Rothwell a Commissioner to examine into the alleged claims of these persons, and Mr. Rothwell in his report of the 28th December, 1897, found that none of these squatters obtained entries for the lands they settled upon, and claimed only that they obtained entries pursuant to Sec. 23 of the Settlement Act, and therefore the Commissioner held that these persons were not entitled to any under-surface rights whatsoever, but he said that he thought the Province of British Columbia had erred in not protecting them when passing the Settlement Act, and that, therefore, he considered it the duty of the Province of British Columbia to take such action as would permanently remove the injustice. He did not suggest that such action should be taken at the expense of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

Settlers' Grievances

In 1901 his Honour Judge Harrison was appointed a Commissioner by the Province to enquire into the grievance of the settlers within the E. & N. Belt, and he found that these settlers had no claim whatsoever and he said that almost without exception the squatters had not thought about the coal when they squatted upon the lands in question.

Now it must be borne in mind, said Mr. Robertson, that practically all these squatters had obtained a grant of the surface rights and had therefore got all they had any idea of getting when they squatted on these lands.

Instead of the Province, out of the public lands or funds of the Province, making up to the "settlers" for the wrong which Mr. Rothwell said had been done them by the Province, not by the E. & N. Railway Company, the Province proceeded to confiscate the lands of the E. & N. Company to pay for the wrong done by the Province. Accordingly in 1904 an act was passed called "The Settlers' Rights Act," which permitted all the settlers who had occupied or improved lands within the Railway Belt with a bona fide intention of living thereon prior to the 19th December, 1883, to obtain Crown grants of such lands, such Crown grants carrying with them the under-surface rights. These persons had no legal rights whatsoever. The act enabled them to acquire lands of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company by Crown grant from the Province without any compensation to the Railway Company, and was, therefore, purely a confiscatory act. The act gave these persons one year within which to apply for the Crown grants, and a large number of persons made application for and obtained grants.

Seeks Disallowance

When the Settlers' Rights Bill was passed in 1904, the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company petitioned the Governor-General-in-Council for its disallowance, and the Province in its answer to the petition then took the position that the effect of the Settlers' Rights Act was merely to give settlers a Provincial title so that they could attack the position of the E. & N. Railway Company in the courts, as it was alleged that under the law as it stood without such provincial title the settlers were helpless.

Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, now Chief Justice of Canada, and then Minister of Justice, made a report to the Governor-General-in-Council in which he accepted the contention of the Province and recommended that the act be not disallowed. In the course of his report Sir Charles Fitzpatrick said in part:

"Under these circumstances, if the British Columbia Act would have the effect, as the railway company apparently fears, of divesting the company of its title under the grant from the Government of Canada in respect of any of the lands in the belt, the undersigned would feel it to be his duty to recommend that Your Excellency should exercise his power of disallowance in order to prevent the consummation of such an injustice. The undersigned, however, is satisfied that the Act can have no such effect. Although it recites that under the circumstances set forth in the preamble, the settlers referred to therein are entitled to peaceable and absolute possession of the lands occupied by them and to a title thereto in fee simple in accordance with the statutes of British Columbia existing at the time of their settlement, it does not proceed to enact or to declare by way of enactment that the lands are or shall be vested in them as of that estate, but enacts only that upon the application of the settlers and upon their establishing certain facts Crown grants of the fee simple shall be issued to them free of charge in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act in force at the time when the land was first occupied or improved and that the rights granted to the settler under the Act shall be asserted by and be defended at the expense of the Crown.

Only What It Had

"Now a Crown grant issued pursuant to such an Act can, in the opinion of the undersigned, convey to the grantee such title only as the Province has in the lands which it purports to grant. In so far as it purports to grant lands or coal or other minerals which, under the Settlement Act were granted to Canada, and under grant from Canada have passed to the company, it will be inoperative, but it is possible that some of the lands occupied as set forth in the recitals to the Act is covered by exceptions from the grant to Canada, or remains the property of the Province, and so far as that is the case the Act may have effective operation.

"Taking the view thus explained as to the effect of the Act, and being of the opinion that such legislation is not ultra vires of the legislature, the undersigned does not think that Your Excellency would be warranted in disallowing the act merely because the railway company may be put to some trouble and expense in the assertion and defence of its title."

The Privy Council, however, in 1907, held in the case of E. & N. vs. McGregor, that the effect of the Settlers' Rights' Act, 1904, was to absolutely divest the E. & N. Railway Company of its title in the lands in question, and further held that the view which the Province had urged upon Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, and which he had accepted, was wrong.

In view of the decision in the McGregor case and the remarks of Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, it was clear that the Dominion would disallow any legislation amending the 1904 Settlers' Rights Act. In the face of this, however, on the 19th day of May, 1917, the British Columbia Government introduced a bill amending the Vancouver Island Settlers' Rights Act and giving settlers under that act up to the 1st September, 1917, within which to file claims. Under that act 179 applications were filed, covering roughly about 33,000 acres of land. Some of the applications cover coal mining operations which are being carried on at the present time.

Under these circumstances when the 1917 Amending Act was passed, the E. & N. Railway Company petitioned the Governor-General-in-Council for the disallowance of the 1917 Act, and the Province of British Columbia filed a reply to said petition, and it appears that the Governor in Council in disallowing the said Act followed out the opinion of Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, as might have been expected.

No doubt the Governor-General-in-Council felt the Province had no right by the Settlers' Rights Act to take away from the E. & N. Railway Company lands which the Province had granted to the Dominion to secure the construction of the E. & N. Railway, and which lands the Dominion Government had granted to the E. & N. Railway because it constructed the railway. In other words, the Dominion would not permit the Province to take back part of the very lands it had granted to secure the construction of this railway and thus to that extent abrogate an agreement to which the Dominion Government was a party.

NOW IN ITALY

Lieut. Frank C. Hincksman, Who Went Overseas in the Mechanical Transport, Sent South.



LIEUT. FRANK C. HINKSMAN

Lieut. Frank C. Hinksman, who joined the Army Service Corps here in the early days of the war and went overseas shortly afterwards in the Mechanical Transport, is now in Italy with the 5th Royal Warwicks.

After reaching England he passed the necessary tests in dispatch riding, and was appointed to drive the motor car of the colonel of the First Canadian Brigade, an appointment which he held for fifteen months. Through his good service in this connection he received a recommendation for a commission, and took his training course in Wales. He applied for admission to the Royal Flying Corps, was passed in, and while awaiting appointment was sent to Italy, where, later, he was appointed to the 5th Royal Warwicks. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinksman, live in Victoria.

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WAR SOUVENIRS EXCITE CURIOSITY

Crowds Gather From Morning Till Night in Front of Colonist Windows to Look at Display.

The interest which the public takes in war relics is amply evidenced by the crowd which is to be seen at any hour of the day outside the window of The Colonist circulation department, where something in the neighborhood of 150 souvenirs from France, Flanders, Salonica, Mesopotamia and Bulgaria are displayed.

One of the unwelcome proofs of German use of unrecognised methods of warfare is a box of soft-nosed rifle ammunition, which has the effect of a dum-dum bullet on the victim. This was sent in by Mr. McAvoy.

A saw-edged bayonet, reminiscent of the worst days of barbarism, was sent in by Mr. Edwards, of Cadboro Bay.

Capt. Whillans' collection, one of the most interesting which has been brought back from the Bulgarian front, is a big part of the exhibition.

The bugle which sounded the last "fall in" of the 67th before its demobilization is also on view in the window.

German rifles, bayonets, pieces of Zeppelins, parts of aeroplanes, shells of all kinds, an image from Rheims cathedral, with some of the candle grease still adhering to it, helmets, a Bulgarian lamp, a needle used for threading tobacco leaves, etc.

A German first-class iron cross, presented to Pte. R. Gilbert, 2nd C. M. R., by a German whom he had taken prisoner at Vimy Ridge, is of particular interest.

The following is a list of those who have kindly lent souvenirs, and fresh things will be added every day until the display is removed:

Capt. H. A. Whillans, C.A.M.C., E. W. Aird, A. S. Barton, Mrs. A. E. Christie, Pte. Germain, Mrs. Wm. Edmonds, Mrs. R. H. Duce, Mrs. P. A. Irving, Master Herbert Cummins, Spr. Townsend, Mr. Acton, Mrs. C. D. Watson, Mr. Edwards of Cadboro Bay, Pte. Gilbert (2nd C. M. R.), Mr. McAvoy.

CANADIAN CLUB TO HEAR ASTRONOMER

Dr. J. A. Brashear's Address on Tuesday Eagerly Anticipated —Distinguished Guests Will Accompany Him.

Victoria, soon to become Canada's astronomical headquarters, will have for its guests four distinguished scientists, on Tuesday. The city will have an opportunity of showing its appreciation of the honor conferred upon it by the establishment of the big telescope, as well as of welcoming four noted visitors, at the Canadian Club luncheon being held Tuesday noon in honor of Dr. J. A. Brashear, head of the firm which ground the reflector for the local telescope.

Dr. Brashear will describe his personal reminiscences of discoveries in science. He is said to be a gifted speaker and his story is sure to be of exceptional interest to Victorians.

Accompanying Dr. Brashear will be Mr. Ambrose Swasey, of the Warner, Swasey Company, Cleveland, O., manufacturers of the mechanical parts of the Victoria telescope; Dr. W. W. Campbell, Director of the Lick Observatory, California, and Dr. Adams, Director of Mount Wilson Observatory, near Pasadena, Ca. Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Director of the Victoria observatory, who was with the party at Goldendale, Ore., to witness the eclipse of the sun, will also attend the luncheon. He and the other guests of the club are scheduled to arrive here tomorrow afternoon from Seattle.

The club is making an exception of the luncheon in respect to American citizens, and those who are not members may obtain admission by paying the regular fee for tickets. Members of the Women's Canadian Club will be admitted free to hear the address from Dr. Brashear, which will start about 12:30. The luncheon will commence half an hour earlier. The management of the Empress Hotel is preparing to seat several hundred persons in the ballroom.

HOME DESTROYED BY ENEMY AIRMEN

Miss Isolde Menges Receives the News While She Is on Her Way to Play at Saskatoon—Parents in England.

During one of the enemy air-raids over the South of England a few days ago the home of the parents of Miss Isolde Menges, the gifted English violinist who was here two or three months ago and charmed a big audience at the Empress with her delightful interpretations, was blown to pieces. Miss Menges was on her way to Saskatoon when she got the news, but it did not interfere with her playing, which received the very enthusiastic plaudits of a packed concert hall.

She is a very patriotic-spirited girl as well as a great artist, and as she travels about the country she industriously knits socks for her soldier brother, who is a lieutenant with the Imperial army in France. Also a great deal has been done by her to supplement patriotic funds of various kinds, and from the total receipts of her Saskatoon concert, $210, the sum of $92.50 was given by the theatre to the Great War Veterans' Association of Saskatoon, Miss Menges herself playing without remuneration of any kind. She carried a rare treat to the patients at the Saskatoon city hospital the afternoon preceding her recital, giving a programme of music such as the sick folk seldom have the opportunity of hearing.

ICE IS CLEARING FROM LAKE LEBARGE

DAWSON, Y.T., June 8.—Lake Lebarge, it is expected, will be cleared of ice the first of the coming week, and the first through steamers of the year for Dawson will likely start then. The steamer Tanana, the first of the season, arrived Friday night with fifty passengers, mostly wives and children of Fairbanks businessmen and miners.

The Porcupine River is so high this year that the Fort Yukon radio plant has been flooded, and the stream so diverted that it is now running among the houses and the stores standing in the middle of the town. The radio plant at Circle City is also flooded. Both plants have been disabled for weeks.

WILL NOT ACCEPT HIS RESIGNATION

Supporters of Capt. W. H. Hayward at Duncan Unwilling to Have Him Withdraw —Expression of Confidence.

A public meeting held at Duncan yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Cowichan Conservative Association decided to cable Capt. W. H. Hayward, M.P.P., to the effect that it declined to accept his proposal of resignation from the Provincial Legislature. He will be asked to reconsider his decision.

The resolution was carried practically unanimously, 64 voting in favor of it and only four against.

Mr. P. W. Anketell-Jones was in the chair. An amendment proposed by Mr. A. H. Peterson that the association act on Capt. Hayward's suggestion as set forth in a recent letter from the soldier member, and ask the Speaker to declare his seat in the House vacant, aroused a storm of protest and got virtually no support from the members present. The resolution finally carried was proposed by Mr. C. H. Dickie. The text ran as follows:

The Resolution

"That this meeting of the supporters of Capt. W. H. Hayward, our present member to the Legislative Assembly, deplore his action in placing his resignation in the hands of the Conservative Association, this step being taken by him owing to resolutions passed in this district. These resolutions do not in the opinion of this representative meeting warrant Capt. Hayward in coming to a decision of such serious consequence to his constituency. Further, that this meeting desire to express their continued confidence in Capt. Hayward; also the appreciation of his past services for the district and Province, and this meeting also decline to accept his resignation."

Veterans Aroused

At last night's meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association there was unanimous opposition to Capt. Hayward's resignation being accepted. Efforts were made to get in touch with the Duncan meeting by long distance telephone in order to register a protest against any move that would result in unseating the soldier-member, whose work in behalf of his district as well as his personal qualities were highly commended by the returned soldiers who spoke. Had the Duncan meeting been held at night the veterans would have sent a delegation to support its attitude.

Germans Arrested in Porto Rico

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, June 8.—Eleven Germans, including F. Schmonberg, the Swedish consul, and Hans Kupfer, representative of a United States commercial agency, were arrested on presidential warrants last night at the order of Governor Yager. Police have been stationed at the homes of enemy aliens throughout the island as a precaution against possible attack.

MORE SOLDIERS WIN VICTORIA CROSSES

LONDON, June 8.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—The official Gazette announces the award of three Victoria Crosses, including one to Sergt. Albert Mountain, West Yorks, whose act was an outstanding example of supreme fearlessness and initiative.

Mountain's company was compelled to fall back before the advancing enemy mass. Volunteers for a counter-attack were being called for, when Mountain and ten men stepped forward. He then advanced on the flank with a Lewis gun and enfiladed an enemy patrol, of which about 100 were killed.

Mountain rallied and organized has party for defence and covered the retreat of the rest of the company. With one non-commissioned officer and four men he successfully held at bay 600 Germans for half an hour. Later he took command of a flank post and held on for 27 hours until finally surrounded. Mountain was one of the few who managed to fight their way back.

Chinese Comedian Sues

VANCOUVER, June 8.—Brought by a written contract from China to play at the local Chinese Theatre, Sa Yuen, a comedian, is suing the Win Hong Lin Theatre Company for damages for wrongful dismissal. The case was partly heard before Judge Cayley yesterday and adjourned until Tuesday. The contract was for a year and is a document about the size of a newspaper sheet. The defendant company claims that the plaintiff was properly dismissed because of his offensive acting.

Small Number of Registrants

WASHINGTON, June 8.—A general revision of classifcations under the selective draft was started yesterday by Provost-Marshal-General Crowder, when he telegraphed to the Governors of all States ordering investigations to determine the reason for the small number of registrants in class one in some localities. The instructions also ordered investigations to determine if any men have been erroneously placed in the upper classes when they should have been placed in the lower classes.

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Children's Fancy Socks, a pair, 35c; 3 pairs for $1.00.

Children's Silk Lisle Socks, fancy designs; superior grade. A pair, 50c.

—Hose, Main Floor

Victory Cream

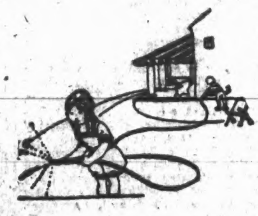
preserves and cleans mahogany colored shoes. A bottle, 35c.

2-in-1 and Nugget Polish. A tin, 10c.

—Shoes, Main Floor

As the Dry Season Advances There's an Increased Demand for

Spencer's Garden Hose Complete With Nozzle at $6.25



—This is the best value in Garden Hose at the price. It is our regular standard grade, which we guarantee for one year.

—Made of 3-ply rubber, half-inch, and in 50-ft. lengths, complete with coupler and combination spray nozzle.

—No better Hose at the price on the market. It's the Hose you need for your kitchen garden or vacant lot. Order your length on Monday, while the price is $6.25 complete.

—Hardware, Second Floor

Inexpensive Whitewear Values a Strong Feature for Monday

—The lower-priced articles in Women's White Undermuslins, will receive special attention on Monday. Many attractively designed and well made garments have been arranged in this sale, and will be the cause of creating quick selling. Some of the garments included are:

Corset Covers at 35c
Of strong white cotton; yoke of embroidery, lace trimmed. June White Sale, each, 35c.

Cotton Underskirts at 65c
Good quality cotton, finished with tucked frill trimmed with torchon lace. June White Sale, 65c.

Cotton Nightgowns, 75c
Fine quality white cotton, made in open front style with tucked yoke. June White Sale, 75c.

Envelope Combinations, $1.25
Serviceable quality white cotton; yoke of embroidery, edged with lace. June White Sale, $1.25.

Cotton Chemises, 50c
Strong white cotton, trimmed with imitation torchon lace. June White Sale, 50c.

—Whitewear, First Floor

2,500 Yds. Beautiful Cretonnes at 65c a Yard Monday

—Seventy-five different designs and colorings in this assortment to choose from. A range sufficiently large to warrant our believing that practically all your needs in the way of draperies for household uses can be filled from this assortment.

—There are designs and colorings specially suited for window drapes and side curtains; others for loose covers, while still others will make useful coverings for box ottomans and upholstered furniture.

Be sure and see these and take advantage of the special price. A yard, 65c.

—Drapery, Third Floor

Zimmerknit Underwear for Men and Boys—Summer Weight



—This is a light-weight brand of Underwear so much in demand for Summer wear by most men and boys. A most reliable brand, and well recommended for service and comfort.

Zimmerknit Light Weight Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; also white mesh. Short sleeves; knee length. All sizes, 75c a garment.

Shirts and Drawers, light weight; white merino finish. Long sleeves and ankle length. All sizes, a garment, $1.00.

Natural Balbriggan Combinations. Light weight; short sleeves and knee length. All sizes, a suit, $1.00.

Boys' Light Weight Shirts and Drawers, natural and white mesh; short sleeves and knee length. Small sizes, a garment, 45c. Larger sizes, a garment, 50c.

Boys' Balbriggan Combinations, white mesh and natural. Short sleeves and knee length. Small sizes, a suit, 90c. Larger sizes, a suit, $1.00.

—Underwear, Main Floor

Try Our Delicious Ice Cream

—as served in Tea Room.

—Second Floor

Garments for Baby

Infants' Long Dresses of extra good quality; neatly trimmed with lace and embroidery; dainty styles. Special, each, $1.00.

Infants' Barracoats of good quality flannelette. Special value at 50c.

Infants' Flannelette Gowns, extra good quality. Special value at 75c.

Infants' Flannel Bands, neatly scalloped edges. Special, each, 35c.

—Infants', First Floor



A New Shipment of Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets

Providing the Widest Variation of Materials and Styles for Present Wear

—The more careful you are to make up your mind on the styles of the season as applied to your individual figure, the more delighted you will be with these new Bon-Ton and Royal Worcester models—just received.

—It is truly a beautiful assortment. Many are made in brocaded materials, featuring the low bust and long hips, in styles and sizes to fit all figures. There are also models to suit the heavier figure requiring more support.

—There's a model here to fit and please you. Make an appointment with our corsetieres.

Bon-Ton prices range—$5.00 to $7.50.

Royal Worcester prices range—$1.75 to $4.50.

—Corsets, First Floor

Buy Your Sheetings by the Yard

And Get Better Material at Lower Cost

—Making up your own sheets from the sheetings is one way of saving money and getting better satisfaction.

—If you have not got a machine, we will be pleased to hem them up for an additional charge of 10c a pair.

—There is no doubt that you can get a much better quality sheeting, besides having them made up any length you require. There is also a better assortment to choose from, with grades at prices to suit all purses.

—Widths to suit all beds, in both bleached and unbleached grades, in fine, medium and heavy weaves.

—Many of the numbers we are offering can not be bought today at the mills at the prices we quote.

—Buy your Sheetings while these prices hold good.

Bleached Sheetings, 1¾ yard wide, at 55c, 60c, 75c and 80c a yard.

Bleached Sheetings, 2 and 2¼ yards wide, at 55c, 60c, 65c, 75c, up to $1.00 a yard.

Bleached Sheetings, 2½ yards wide, at 75c, 80c and $1.00 a yard.

Unbleached Sheetings, 1¾ yards, at 60c, and 2 and 2¼, at 55c and 60c a yard.

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Spencer's Victoria Linen

—The most fashionable Notepaper in Victoria. We still have part of a shipment selling at the old price.

75 Sheets Notepaper, 2[illegible]

75 Envelopes for 25c.

—Stationery, Main F[illegible]

Latest Reprints 75c Each

—The Yellow Dove. By Geo. Gibbs.
—Innocent. By Marie Corelli.
—Daddy Long Legs. By Jean Webster.
—The Pastor's Wife. By the Author of Elizabeth and Her German Garden.
—The Ivory Child. By Rider Haggard.
—Peg o' My Heart. By J. Hartley Manners.
—Thankful's Inheritance. By Jos. Lincoln.
—Little Sir Galahad. By Phoebe Grey.
—The Valley of the Moon. By Jack London.
—Michael O'Halloran. By Jean Stratton Porter.

—Books, Main Floor

Clearing Odd Lines in Ladies' Pajamas

Values to $3.75, Monday $1.75

—A good assortment, in Summer weight, but most are slightly shop soiled.

—We clean up the lot at a bargain price.

—Whitewear, First Floor

Cut Glass Vases

in a large range of new designs. Very dainty pieces, and very suitable for wedding or birthday gifts. Prices to suit all. Each, 75c, 90c, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 to $15.00.

—Glassware, Second Floor

Ladies' Silk Gloves

are smart, serviceable, and most comfortable for warm weather wear.

—Beautiful quality Gloves, such as Queen Quality and Kayser Silk, can be had at most reasonable prices.

In these makes we have all the leading colors, also black and white, with self and black points. A pair, 75c, 85c, $1.00 and $1.25.

—Gloves, Main Floor

Pique Dresses for Girls

Well-Made Dresses from good quality white pique, finished in various styles. Some have belt and embroidered fronts, others scalloped around neck, sleeves and bottom of skirt; sizes for girls 2, 3 and 4 years. Priced, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25.

—Children's First Floor

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